

VILLA IS FLYING TOWARD SIERRAS

Mexicans Freely Give Information to American Forces

TROOPS FOLLOW CLOSE

Bandit's Escape from Namiquipa Region is Preceded By Smart Defeat

MEXICANS LET BANDIT PASS

CASAS GRANDES, Chihuahua, Mex., March 27.—(By wireless to Columbus, N. M., March 27.)—Villa is flying southwest toward the foothills of the Sierras, according to army reports received here today. The rapidity of his flight is precipitating the American pursuit. All arms of the service are being used in an attempt to force the bandit into a corner.

The Mexican residents of this section, which has been ravaged time and time again by Villa's followers, are freely giving information concerning his flight, supplies, armament and strength to the American military authorities. While much of this information has been too indefinite to be of value, it is presumed knowledge that the Americans are kept informed as to his movements has influenced the bandit's flight to the greatest haste in his retreat. Although the United States troops are following closely in Villa's wake, so far, it is stated, no fighting has taken place.

Defeat Precedes Villa's Escape.
San Antonio, Tex., March 27.—Francisco Villa's escape from the region about Namiquipa was preceded by a smart defeat administered by him to a party of the Mexican government troops and was unopposed by other detachments of the de facto government forces, according to unofficial but credible reports reaching here today.

The cordon of Mexican troops that the Mexican authorities announced should be drawn across his path gave way, according to these reports with a willingness that indicated their co-operation with him rather than with the American forces.

Army men at department headquarters were inclined to believe reports of inefficiency and half-hearted co-operation and today contemplated with speculative eye the probable future of the second phase of operations just inaugurated by the commander of the punitive expedition.

Positions Are Not Revealed.
Reports from General Pershing to General Funston dealt with only routine subjects, principally relative to transportation of supplies. The positions of troops were not revealed but it was known that the cavalry men were yet riding hard along the trail left by Villa and his little army. Officers of the quartermaster's department studied the best methods of getting provisions, especially supplies for the horses and mules, to the field army, while General Funston and his staff anxiously studied the map that showed the advanced cavalry columns rapidly nearing points 300 miles away from the border.

It was realized here that the early capture of Villa would be little better than accident. With their knowledge of the country and with the assistance they can obtain along their route, Villa and his followers, it is feared, will have no difficulty in keeping ahead of the pursuing Americans. Their hope for an early ending of the chase is that Carranza's troops will finally check Villa's flight or that Villa himself after joining one or more of his wandering bands in southern Chihuahua or from northern Durango, may decide to fight it out with the steadily advancing cavalry of the punitive force.

Becoming Increasingly Impatient.
El Paso, Tex., March 27.—With the conviction that the chase of Francisco Villa is going to prove a long and tedious one, attention here turned once more tonight on the railroad situation. Dispatches from Washington and San Antonio showing that the United States military authorities were becoming increasingly impatient for the completion of arrangements with General Carranza for the use of the Mexican railroad confirmed the belief held here for the last week that the railroad problem was the present crux of the situation. Army officers here privately admit that the question of getting adequate supplies to the forces at the front is growing serious. They say the present system of motor transportation across the Chihuahua desert has proved entirely inadequate and as General Pershing's columns push farther into the desolation of western Chihuahua the problem of getting supplies is growing acute. The advance corps of the expeditionary force is more than 250 miles from the frontier and every day presumably adds many miles to

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AVIATORS SURMOUNT DIFFICULT PROBLEMS

WORK IS DONE SO FAR WITHOUT A SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Mexican Flying Service is a Succession of Unique Adventures—Fliers Under Handicap of a High Altitude When They Rise.

Field Headquarters, American Expedition, Colonia Dublin, Chihuahua, Mexico, March 26.—By aeroplane to Columbus, N. M., Mar. 27.—The first aero squadron in the United States army in a week's service with Brigadier General John J. Pershing's expedition in Mexico has surmounted flying problems more difficult than most of those encountered by European aviators. The work has been done thus far without a really serious accident.

One of the senior aviators said today that only in the Alps are the European fliers likely to encounter conditions paralleling those under which the American aviators now are working.

The Mexican flying service is a succession of unique adventures, each one met successfully by the quick wit of the aviators.

"Never," said this aviator, "have we had any flying as difficult as we have done here. We are under a handicap of an altitude of about 5,200 feet when we rise. Some of the mountains we have tried to get over are approximately 9,000 feet above sea level, and none of our machines are powerful enough to carry the pilot, observer and sufficient fuel at such an altitude. We might get over the high mountains but we probably would be unable to carry enough fuel for the return flight."

He told about a flight of some of his men over the mountain pass which the aviators described as some of the roughest country in Mexico. Just before reaching the pass they were above a gorge 2,000 feet deep. No landing place was observable within 15 miles of this pass and one of the fliers had difficulty in rising to the necessary altitude. He turned and wheeled his machine, trying to ascend, but the strong air currents swept him around until he was in about 20 feet of the tree tops near the summit of the pass. He had grazed the trees without being able to fight his way higher thru the treacherous winds and was forced to turn back. The other aviators succeeded in making the flight. Two of them carrying despatches, made spectacular landings near the camp in a heavy wind. After the landing had been accomplished the wind was so strong that it picked up one of the machines and set back 15 or 20 feet.

A lariat served to fasten one wing of a plane to seven tent poles anchoring the machine so that the wind would not blow it away. The men slept in the open without blankets and with no covering, choosing any handy clump of grass or knoll for a wind break. When the wind moderated enough for flight, it still was very cold. In fact the aviators did not wait for favorable weather before resuming flight and one of them cranked his engine from 5:50 a. m. until 9:50 a. m., until by hand power alone he got it into trim to take him off the ground. The other machine got away by the same process with two hours cranking.

In flying here, said the aviator, it is a case frequently to pitting one's life against the motor for if the motor there is no landing place within reach and the aviator has no chance. The aviators themselves believe that their work of gathering and transmitting information for the army and for its commander is a more difficult duty than being under actual fire. The chances of being hit while under fire in this country they estimate at about a million to one. In any work they may undertake against Villa the American aviators are not counting on saving their lives if they should be forced to descend within reach of bandits.

Announcement that the army headquarters aero corps has established field stations in connection with the new army base twelve miles south of Casas Grandes was made here tonight. From these stations the six army planes now in operation are flying in scouting to the extreme front in the Namiquipa district, approximately 250 miles south of the border, where the columns of American cavalry are pursuing Villa. Reports here tonight however, indicate that there has been no encounter of any sort and that quite possibly at all points along the American line

ELECT NEW BURLINGTON MAYOR.

Burlington, Iowa, Mar. 27.—James M. Bell, was elected mayor of Burlington today with a majority of 462 votes over present Mayor Cross, under the commission plan. A. J. Cookrell was the only one of the present council to be re-elected. Others elected tonight were Frank Canny, Ed. Matsch and Oscar Schlamp.

PRECISE DEFEAT OF EFFORTS.

Washington, March 27.—Suffrage leaders conceded tonight that their effort to bring the Susan B. Anthony amendment before the house probably will be defeated again when the judiciary committee votes tomorrow on the proposal. Of the twenty-one committeemen they were assured of the support of only nine.

BRITISH CAPTURE PART OF TRENCH

London Announces Taking of First and Second Line Trenches

BIG GUNS ARE ACTIVE

Germans Again Begin Shelling Bethincourt, Le Mort Homme and Cumieres

AIRMEN BOMBARD DVINSK

The British and Germans have been fighting fiercely in the region of St. Eloi, just south of Ypres, and the British thru the explosion of a big mine and by infantry charges have captured and destroyed a considerable portion of the German trenches.

The British infantry stormed and took first and second line trenches along a front of six hundred yards, London officials announced, and Berlin admits that German trenches in this region were blown up to an extent of one hundred yards and that "casualties were caused among the company occupying the position."

Bombardment Becomes Intense.

Again the bombardment has become intense to the northwest and northeast of Verdun, and considerable activity by the big guns also has been shown in the Woivre region southeast of the fortress. The time seemingly is not ripe, however, for an infantry attack, and the men of both sides have lain idle in their trenches, awaiting the moment for attack and counter attack.

The Germans after a period of comparative quiet, have again begun shelling Bethincourt, LeMort Homme and Cumieres, west of the Meuse, and are keeping up, with increasing volume, their bombardment of the French positions in the region of Vaux and Douaumont, which have been stumbling blocks for several weeks in their attempts to gain ground northeast of Verdun. French shells are falling on the German positions in the Argonne and northeast of St. Mihiel salient.

Obstinately Resist Attacks.

The Germans are obstinately resisting the Russian attacks between Dvinsk and Vilna, but the Russians have captured two lines of their trenches to the northwest of Postavy. Twenty bombs have been dropped by German airmen on the town of Dvinsk.

In the Black Sea littoral, the Russians are still making progress against the Turks. In operations between the Italians and Austrians in the Gorizia region the Austrians have captured an Italian position on Podgora heights.

Washington is awaiting with some anxiety the investigation into the explosion that damaged the cross channel steamer Sussex, and the sinking of the British Steamer Englishman. The possibility of the breaking off of diplomatic relations with Germany is being discussed in the event the steamers are shown to have been torpedoed by a German submarine.

All the Americans on board the Sussex were saved, but several were injured. One American is believed to have been lost when the Englishman went down.

REPORT BRITISH STEAMER MANCHESTER ENGINEER TORPEDOED

LONDON, Mar. 27.—The British Steamer Manchester Engineer from Philadelphia, March 11th, for Manchester has been sunk, according to information received by Lloyds. The members of the crew were taken aboard a tug.

The Central News says that the Manchester Engineer was torpedoed today by a German submarine. It was first supposed the vessel was not badly damaged but she foundered while making for port in tow.

The Steamer Manchester Engineer, measured 4,302 tons gross. She was built in 1902 and was owned by the Manchester Liners, Ltd., of Manchester.

RESCIND MONARCHIAL LEGISLATION

Pekin, Mar. 27.—The state council held a special session today and, acting as parliament, rescinded all monarchial legislation, restored all the laws of the republic affected by monarchial movement and then adjourned permanently thus giving public evidence of an admission of the errors made by parliament in urging a monarchy upon the president.

REEVE DEFEATS SMITH.

London, Mar. 27.—Wick Smith, the English light weight champion, was defeated on points by Harry Reeve in a twenty round bout here tonight.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

DES MOINES.—Dr. J. B. Findley, prominent throughout Iowa as a physician, is dead at his home here. He was 66 years old.

PHILADELPHIA.—Many congratulatory messages were received at the Jefferson hospital where Mrs. Francis B. Sayre and her daughter, born Sunday were reported to be doing well.

WASHINGTON.—Thomas J. Pence, secretary of the Democratic National Committee, who has been ill for several months as a result of pneumonia, is dead at his home here.

CLARION, Ia.—Blochmonds were put on the trail of robbers who broke into several stores here and escaped with a quantity of money and merchandise.

DAVENPORT, Ia.—Judge M. F. Dovan, in the Scott county district court handed down a decision upholding the validity of the repeal of the Iowa Malt law. The liquor interests will now carry the case to the supreme court of Iowa.

NEW YORK.—The World Court Congress will be held in this city May 2, 3 and 4, instead of at Louisville, Ky. Delegates from every neutral state in the world are expected to attend.

DAVENPORT, Ia.—Joseph Gimbel said to be the oldest policeman in Iowa, in active service, is 80 years old. Mr. Gimbel is connected with the ambulance corps of the department.

CHICAGO.—Not less than 25,000 veterans of the Spanish and Philippine wars will attend the annual encampment which will be held here Sept. 4 to 7.

BURLINGTON, Ia.—Peter Blank, 50 years old, a machinist, committed suicide by leaping from a window of a grain elevator to the ground, a distance of eighty feet.

DECATUR, Ill.—John Fahay, 30 years old, who was shot early Sunday morning during an argument arising from the recent Wabash switchmen's strike is dead.

DES MOINES.—George Eavers and Forest Gillet, negroes, are held by the police here pending investigation of the death of Nick Tham, restaurant proprietor, found dying in his lunch room.

CHICAGO.—The police are searching today for three men said to be implicated in the murder of Hugh Coogan. Two suspects are being held.

TO ORGANIZE MILK PRODUCERS' CO-OPERATIVE MARKETING CO

CHICAGO, Mar. 27.—Following the delivery of the ultimatum today to the Chicago Milk Dealers that they would deliver no more milk to them after April 1st, unless they received an average of \$1.55 a hundred pounds during the summer, milk producers from this section started the organization of the Milk Producers co-operative marketing company with a capital stock of at least \$500,000. The dealers had already informed the producers that they would not increase their offer of \$1.33 1-3 which has been in effect in the recent season. The marketing company organization includes R. M. Omann, Huntley, Ill., chairman, the president, R. B. Swift of Libertyville, Ill., the secretary, W. J. Kittle of Chicago and C. H. Polter of Elgin, Ill.

TANG SHAO YI URGES YUAN TO RETIRE FROM THE GOVERNMENT

SHANGHAI, China, Mar. 27.—Tang Shao Yi, China's special envoy to the United States in 1903 and President Yuan Shi Kai's first premier, in an interview today states that he telegraphed Yuan Shi Kai last night, urging him to accede to the wishes to a large majority of the people of China, and retire from the government.

Tang Shao Yi expresses the opinion in the interview that the mandate cancelling the plan to restore the monarchial form of government, had not settled matters.

He said the country was headed toward ruin unless he manfully proclaimed Li Yuan Heng president.

JAMES B. FORGAN TESTIFIES AT TRIAL OF WILLIAM LORIMER

CHICAGO, Mar. 27.—James B. Forgan, chairman of the board of directors of the First National Bank of Chicago, was the principal witness today in the trial of former Senator William Lorimer, charged with conspiracy and fraud in connection with the failure of the La Salle Street Trust & Savings Bank.

Mr. Forgan testified that neither he, personally, nor the Chicago Clearing House association, of which he was chairman, sought to embarrass the Lorimer bank. He was examined by William H. Holly, for the state.

"Did you have animosity toward Mr. Lorimer, or his partner, C. B. Munday?" asked Mr. Holly.

"Absolutely none. I had nothing against Mr. Lorimer and Mr. Munday I did not know."

STATE GERMANY WILL SATISFY U. S.

Issue May Narrow Down To Willingness To Accept Declaration

AWAITING EVIDENCE

President Seeks Details of Sinking of Sussex and British Steamship Englishman

TERMS SITUATION GRAVE

WASHINGTON, March 27.—With all evidence indicating that the British channel steamer Sussex, carrying American citizens, was the victim of a torpedo, it was stated authoritatively here today, that if a German submarine made the attack the imperial government would disavow the act, punish the submarine commander, offer reparation and satisfy the United States that the act was in violation of instructions. Thus it seemed tonight that the issue might narrow down to the question of whether the United States would be willing to accept such a declaration from the Berlin government.

President Wilson is awaiting with deep concern the receipt of conclusive evidence not only in regard to the Sussex, aboard which several Americans narrowly escaped death, but as to the sinking of the British steamship Englishman. One American, T. Buckley, a horseman, is said in the latest official reports to have been lost when the Englishman went down.

Already it was intimated at the state department the United States has in its possession information sufficient to warrant the making of an inquiry of the German government as to whether any of its submarines fired a torpedo at the Sussex or the Englishman.

President Wants All Details.
The president, however, holds the opinion that all the details available should be at hand before definite action of any kind is taken. He described the situation to callers during the day as being grave, but said no decisive step would be taken pending the receipt of the additional facts.

It is known that the president is seriously considering going before congress and laying the entire question of submarine warfare before the members of the senate and house. Certainly he will communicate the situation fully to congress before taking any definite steps which might lead to the severance of diplomatic relations. All phases of the situation probably will be discussed at the cabinet meeting tomorrow.

Official expression of the attitude of the administration was avoided today but high officials made no attempt to minimize the gravity of the situation which will confront the United States if it is established conclusively that a German sank the Sussex, an unarmed, peaceful passenger carrying vessel, in violation of the rights of humanity, the principles of international law and the solemn assurances regarding the conduct of submarine warfare which have been given to the United States by the Central European powers. Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, who was vested with authority by the German government, has been out of town for several days, but is expected to return to the capital tomorrow. He probably will communicate with Secretary Lansing soon after his arrival.

Discovery of Fragments of Metal.
The discovery of a number of fragments of metal aboard the Sussex, including a large piece of bronze, found by a French naval officer, has been reported by Ambassador Sharp at Paris. The naval officer, according to state department dispatches, says the piece of bronze is part of a torpedo.

It is realized that the testimony of a French naval officer would be regarded as biased by the German authorities and the department is relying upon an expert examination of the other pieces of metal to establish whether they were parts of a German Schwartzkopf torpedo.

So far as is known the state department has not yet heard that anyone aboard the ship saw the prospect of a submarine near the Sussex, but statements to the effect that the wake of a torpedo was seen are understood to have been made. The department allowed it to become known tonight that the regular course of diplomatic procedure would be followed in the case of the Sussex and the Englishman. Much, it was said, probably will depend upon the nature of a statement to be sent by the German government soon.

VOTE TO EXTEND DUTY.

Washington, Mar. 27.—Senate democrats in caucus tonight voted to substitute for the house resolution repealing the free sugar clause of the tariff act, a resolution extending the present duty of a cent a pound until 1920. The vote on the substitute, which was recommended by Democratic members of the finance committee was 33 to 7.

HIGH WATER CAUSES THOUSANDS TO MOVE

LESS THAN TWO FEET LEVEES DAM RISING WATERS OF SCIOTO RIVER

Chances Favor Passing of Flood's Crest by Columbus Without Air-broke in the Levees—Three Counties in Michigan Flood Swept.

Columbus, O., Mar. 27.—Less than two feet of reinforced levees here tonight dammed the rising waters of the Scioto river and prevented a flood which earlier in the day had threatened to equal that of 1913, when 99 residents of the west side of Columbus were drowned and hundreds of homes swept away. Thousands of persons moved from their homes to high ground today. Chances tonight favored a passing of the flood's crest without a break in the levees. Early in the evening the government's gauge registered 19.2 feet. The danger mark is considered 21 feet.

Cessation of today's downpour in the upper Scioto valley and the coming of slightly colder weather, quelled the anxiety of the 30,000 residents of lowlands in this city. Normal business and school sessions were suspended in the district threatened, while residents carried their household furnishings to second stories, moved them hastily in vans to places of safety or fled with only suit cases and baskets of personal belongings across the shaky bridges leading from the west side.

With the threat of flood still hanging over the city tonight, members of the fourth regiment, Ohio National guard were ready momentarily for the mobilization which Governor Willis and Adjutant General Hough said would be issued if the water breaks the levees. Military coats and blankets were provided in the city hall, state house and school buildings where refugees could spend the night. Three years ago today was the crisis of the flood which devastated part of this city and the main section of Dayton on the Miami river.

Late tonight the river at Columbus appeared to have become stationary at 19.5 feet and indications were that a flood was extremely improbable.

Three Counties Flood Swept.
Detroit, Mar. 27.—Saginaw, Genesee, and Bay counties, pelted by rain for nearly 48 hours are flood centers of storm swept Michigan tonight. Nearly every stream in these counties is out of its banks of at flood stage. No estimate of total damage to property, stock and merchandise can be made at present. The loss however, may be more than \$1,000,000.

The only casualties reported in connection with the wreck of the Wolverine Flier on the Michigan Central railroad, near Kalamazoo. A school road bed is believed to have caused the rails to spread. The train jumped the track. Four of five persons were injured. Two were hurt seriously.

Railroad Property Damaged.

Dubuque, Ia., March 27.—West-bound trains are greatly delayed and heavy damage has been done to railroad property near here by high water. Heavy rain last night and today have caused streams to overflow and heavy earth slides and overflows have resulted. The Mississippi river at this region rose five feet in forty-eight hours.

River Raises Five Feet.

Quincy, Ill., March 27.—At midnight tonight the Mississippi river stood at 13.8 feet, within 2 of flood stage. It has risen five feet since Sunday.

Rescue Twenty Families.

Kenton, O., March 27.—While men in row boats waited to rescue her from her cottage which was entirely surrounded by water, a mother gave birth to a baby boy today. Although rescued along with twenty other families, the mother and babe may die from the exposure. Only logs of fence posts can be seen in the marsh districts along the Scioto river here.

LEVY IS DENIED PETITION.

Springfield, Ill. Mar. 27.—George J. Levy of Chicago, was today in the Sangamon county circuit denied a petition for a writ of mandamus to compel Secretary of State Lewis G. Stevenson to place his name on the primary election ballot April 11th, as a candidate for alternate delegate to the republican national convention from the second congressional district. Judge Normal L. Jones, denied the petition after hearing arguments. Secretary Stevenson recently eliminated the election petition of Levy on the ground of insufficiency of signatures.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

ILLINOIS.—Fair and warmer Tuesday and Wednesday.

TEMPERATURES.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Monday were:

Jacksonville	33	62	33
Boston	48	52	40
Buffalo	46	58	50
New York	46	52	40
New Orleans	54	56	50
Chicago	44	56	35
Detroit	40	46	36
Omaha	56	58	30
St. Paul	40	42	24
Helena	46	50	36
San Francisco	56	64	52
Winnipeg	36	38	8

BEGIN EDWARDS TRIAL IN CHICAGO

Lumberman Is Accused Under Mann Act By Miss Ada Cox

INQUIRE INTO LIVES

Complainant Asserts Edwards Led Her Astray in 1910 at St. Paul, Where She Was Guest

TELLS OF SEVERAL TRIPS

CHICAGO, March 27.—The most sensational of the Mann act cases in Chicago since the passage of that law, involving William Rufus Edwards, a wealthy St. Paul lumberman, as defendant and Miss Ada Cox as complaining witness, was speedily gotten under way before United States District Judge Anderson today.

Selection of a jury took but little time and shortly afterward Judge Anderson ruled that the lives of both Edwards and Miss Cox might be inquired into freely. In the course of the day the names of John Gangel, the ball player, "a booking agent" named "Nash," Willard Meers of Indianapolis and W. G. Carmichael of Milwaukee were brought into the record.

Her relations with these men, Miss Cox testified, had never exceeded the bounds of morality.

Asserts Edwards Led Her Astray.
She asserted that Edwards led her astray in 1910 at St. Paul, where she went as his guest, unsuspecting that his purposes exceeded mere friendship.

Miss Cox several years ago recovered \$17,000 on a breach of promise charge against Edwards. Edwards married a St. Paul society woman who has stood by him in all his troubles with Miss Cox. The hearing of the present case was delayed several times by illness of the defendant. Miss Cox testified as to several trips between Chicago and St. Paul, sometimes with Edwards, sometimes to meet him, but always on money provided by him. He paid her expenses on several occasions, she said, when she was ill.

"Once he took me to Dr. Paul Campbell of St. Paul," said Miss Cox. "He examined me but did not give me treatment. I obtained relief in a hospital. After I started suit against him he said that he still cared for me and asked me to withdraw the case. On another occasion he threatened to use all his wealth and influence to discredit me if I did not quash the case."

Will S. Forest, attorney for Edwards, asked the witness as to her relations with a "booking agent" named Nash.

"I was sent to Indianapolis by Nash to act as his secretary in a branch booking office," said the witness.

Met Meers at Indianapolis.

"At Indianapolis did you meet Willard S. Meers?"

"Yes."

"Did you have improper relations?"

"No."

"How many times?"

"Never."

The next year, 1908, witness said she was again living in Chicago at the home of Mrs. Alice Herwig.

"She introduced me to John Gangel," said Miss Cox. "He was a ball player on one of the New York teams. He asked the team at Rochester. I think Mr. Meers visited Mr. and Mrs. Gangel at Rochester at the same time I did."

"Didn't you and Meers have adjoining rooms at the hotel there?"

"They were on the same floor, but there was a room between them. I think."

"Do you know who paid your expenses on that trip?"

"Saw No Money Handled Over."

"I saw no money handed over, but I understood that the Gangelz paid for my room."

A letter to her, addressed to Meers' New York address, was introduced.

"Did you live with Meers in New York?"

"I certainly did not. I had some of my mail sent there, tho."

Questioned as to Carmichael, witness said she met him when he called on her hostess there.

"He didn't come to see me," said the witness.

In the course of testimony as to her relations with Edwards several letters were introduced. They spoke of good times together, and in one from her to Edwards she asked if he was familiar with this verse:

"Thou I knew that we are happy,
"When under the cloud of sin,
"I know the day approaches
"When chastisement must begin."

STENOGRAPHER IS LEFT \$20,000.

Dubuque, Iowa, Mar. 27.—Miss Gertrude Crossaw, stenographer for Thomas J. Fitzpatrick, a lawyer who, with his bride, was killed here recently in an automobile accident, was left \$20,000 by her late employer whose will was filed today.

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Lower Standards, Lower Prices.

The United States during a year and a half of the war has shipped to armies of the allies 678,143 horses and mules, worth in dollars \$131,214,000. The strange part of the report is that notwithstanding the diminished supply of farm animals, the prices generally have been lower than during the past few months. One reason given is that the shipments are mainly of good horses and that the larger percentage of common animals lowered the general standard. Still another reason for the price decrease is the increased usage of gas engines and automobiles.

Gasoline Facts.

The federal trade commission has a number of investigators seeking to get at the bottom facts about the present price of gasoline. A report is promised in about six weeks. This report so far as reducing the price is concerned, will probably amount to about as much as the \$19,000,000 fine assessed against the Standard Oil company a few years ago by a Chicago judge. The oil industry has been investigated from time to time, has been written about and condemned. There have been suits upon suits against the Standard Oil company, but he fact remains that that great company controls the situation.

May Vote on Suffrage.

Jacksonville women who recently sent a telegram to Illinois senators and the congressmen from this district relative to the Susan B. Anthony amendment for woman's suffrage will be interested in the report that the bill is likely to come before the house at the present session. Last month the amendment was pigeon-holed until next session, but the suffrage workers the country over got busy and it is understood that the promise of another consideration by the committee has been secured. It will be a distinct victory for the suffrage lobby if the bill is reported out of committee, even the favorable action is not secured from the house. Even the most sanguine suffragists do not anticipate the passage of the measure at the present session.

Halselden An Advertiser.

It is said that Dr. H. J. Halselden, who some time since was expelled from the Chicago Medical society because of alleged unethical conduct during and following the famous Bo-

Rippling Rhymes
By WALT MASON

PUTTING IT OFF.

Procrastination is the brief of time, remarked the ancient seer; it is the nursery of grief, the origin of sigh and tear. My impulse is to wait a while, before I do the useful chore; and that is why I have no pile, when others have their stacks of ore. When comes the bitter winter dawn, with blizzards shrieking as they pass, my aunt re-remarked, "Go, mow the lawn, and plant all kinds of garden cress." I say, "I'd rather wait till spring before I do such jobs as those; I'll sit before the fire and sing, and thaw the chilblains from my toes." And when the summer breezes blow, my aunt remarks, "Go get a spade, and from the walks remove the snow. Instead of sitting in the shade." But I reply, "When winter comes I'll shovel snow to beat the band; I'm busy eating pears and plums, and there's no shovel close at hand." Thus all my labors I postpone; I always have some thin excuse, while others chase the shivering bone, I sit here saying, "What's the use?"

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linger baby case, will appeal from the decision of the court at the April meeting. If action unfavorable to him is taken, and he still has the opportunity of appealing to the Illinois Medical society and the American Medical association. The chances are that the doctor incurred the criticism of his colleagues not so much by his refusal to operate upon the child, whose defects he said surgery could not remedy, but rather because of the publicity given the incident. The doctor published a series of the affair, posed for the movies and otherwise acted in a manner not in accord with the ethics of the profession.

Tariff Board Bill.

Congressman Rainey has introduced the administration's tariff commission bill, giving power to a commission of six to investigate all the matters pertaining to tariff questions. The members of the commission are to be appointed by the president. Not more than three shall belong to the same political party. On the surface the board is to be non-partisan, but the danger exists in the authority which is vested in the president to remove members at any time for cause, notwithstanding their original appointment for a twelve year term. The country at large will approve a tariff commission if there can be assurance that politics will not warp the finding and if the board cannot be used in a political way. What the people want is to have tariff changes based upon conditions and facts and not on politics. The principle underlying the tariff commission plan is correct, but the bill will need some changes if it passes upon the statute books in an effective form.

The Colonel Comes Back.

The Independent commenting upon the return of Colonel Roosevelt declares that there is only one man who shares with him the popular interest as a possible opposition candidate, referring to Justice Hughes. The article goes on to say that other names are mentioned but the public will not listen. "They talk only of Hughes and Roosevelt—with varying emphasis. Some like one, some like the other. Some like neither but make a wry face and admit that the one (or the other, as the case may be) must be nominated 'in order to beat Wilson.'" The colonel cannot be kept for long at a time off the front page because he persists in doing and saying things that challenge attention. You may admire him or you may disapprove him; you may hate him or love him, but you cannot ignore him. He has an uncanny faculty for knowing what the public are going to be interested in and talking about it first. When he begins to talk about it they listen, then they begin to talk about it too, according to their several minds—with admiration or vituperation, never with indifference. The colonel is bound to be an increasingly interesting factor until the seventh of June. After that? That depends. Anyhow he has come back.

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FUNERALS

Markham.

Funeral services for William Markham were held from the residence in Chapin Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Mr. Cannon of Decatur. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends to pay a last tribute of respect to the memory of the deceased. W. W. Gillham sang a solo, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

There was a profusion of floral offerings and these were cared for by Mrs. Montie Funk and Mrs. Frank Burnham. Interment was in Jordan cemetery, the bearers being, S. G. Paschall, John Griffin, Jacob Hoover, Henry Brownlow, Winhell Brownlow and W. H. Riggs.

Govan.

Funeral services for Tomas Govan were held from the residence in Broadway Alley Sunday morning at 10 o'clock in charge of the Rev. H. H. DeWitt, pastor of Second Baptist church. The singing was by a quartet. The flowers were cared for by Misses Anna Wright, Rhoda Sallee, Maggie Burnette and Mrs. Eva Chappell. Interment was in Jacksonville cemetery and the bearers were Robert Lewis, John Sallee, Carl Brown, Edward Smith, Wesley Chappell and Arthur Brown.

2ND WARD PARENT-TEACHERS.
The Second Ward Parent-Teachers' association will meet Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock to view the art exhibit at Illinois Woman's college. The time of the exhibit here is limited and by asking other wards to join them it will be possible for the members and friends of each association in the city to see the pictures.

WILL LIVE IN WOODSON.
Mrs. S. A. Glasgow is expected to arrive Thursday from Bloomington and will take residence on her property at Woodson.

Cafeteria supper and parcel post sale, by Willing Workers Alexander M. E. church Thursday night.

PLANES BOMB SALONIKI.
London, March 27.—A semi-official dispatch from Saloniki says that five German aeroplanes bombarded Saloniki early Monday. As a result of the raid eighteen civilians were killed and twenty-one wounded, the latter including a Greek official attached to the finance department.

The Germans lost two aeroplanes, one being brought down near Lake Amotova.

**JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT
METHODISTS HOLD MEETING**

Sessions at Brooklyn Church Will Continue Thru Forenoon—Resolutions for Rev. Preston Wood Will Be Sent to Springfield.

As a token of regard for the late Rev. Preston Wood, minister of the Jacksonville district of the Methodist conference, held at the Episcopal church, adopted resolutions at the meeting at Brooklyn Methodist Episcopal church Monday night and ordered a copy sent to Springfield. Ministers of Springfield district will assemble for their annual spring meeting today. The resolutions were presented by the Rev. J. E. Artz of Ashland and were adopted unanimously.

The spring meeting of the ministers and laymen of Jacksonville district began Monday afternoon and will continue until noon today. The Rev. M. C. Gibbs of Decatur, conference secretary for the conference clergymen' campaign, spoke on the work being done in Illinois conference for the aid of the retired minister and at the evening session Dr. Appleton Bash of Pittsburgh spoke on "The Retired Minister." The evening address was preceded by a musical program. Mrs. J. Bart Johnson sang a solo, Miss Grace Davis played and the choir of the church furnished special music.

Following is the program for the morning:

8:30 o'clock—Devotional service.
8:45—"The Children's Church," the Rev. C. M. Javinal of Virginia.

9:30—"World Conditions and Their Relation to Missions," the Rev. C. W. Caseley of Winchester.
10:30—General conference legislation. Under this general topic the Rev. C. S. Boyd of Carrollton will discuss "The Proposed Union of Methodism." The Rev. W. H. McGhee of White Hall will speak upon "The Episcopal Residential Area," and the Rev. C. H. Davis of this city will appear with the subject, "Consolidation of the Church Boards."

There are in attendance at the meeting the Rev. F. A. McCarty, district superintendent; Rev. W. W. Theobald, pastor of Brooklyn church; the Rev. E. B. Madden, the Rev. G. W. Flagg and the Rev. C. H. Davis, Jacksonville; the Rev. J. E. Artz, Ashland; the Rev. C. S. McCollom, Murrayville; the Rev. W. E. Keenan, Franklin; the Rev. R. C. Myers, Bluffs; the Rev. O. F. Meyers, Chandlerville; the Rev. J. M. Meaker, Bath; the Rev. Thomas Symonds, Bluff Springs; the Rev. W. H. McGhee, White Hall; the Rev. Howard Leach, Oakford; the Rev. C. M. Juvinal, Virginia; the Rev. W. G. Pugh, Palmyra; the Rev. J. C. Alvins, Berdan; the Rev. C. W. Caseley, Winchester, and the Rev. A. K. Byrns, Beardstown.

MORTUARY

Geanetos.

Funeral services for little Katherine Geanetos were held in Trinity Episcopal church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in charge of Rev. J. F. Langton. Many friends of the family and of the little girl whose life came to such an untimely close, gathered to thus express their sympathy.

The impressive service of the church was said and beautiful music was furnished by the church choir. There was a profusion of flowers and these were cared for by Misses Mary Anderson, Florence Anderson, Edith Faulkner and Mrs. Nellie Howard. Interment was in Jacksonville cemetery, the bearers being Basil Geanetos, Jr., Chris Geanetos, Stephen Chakas, and Peter Bocopolos.

Weedon.

Mrs. Joan Weedon passed away at the Old People's Home on Grove street Sunday morning at 4:30 o'clock, March 26th. Mrs. Weedon was born July 25th, 1833 at Boston, Mass. She is survived by a step-son, the Rev. W. W. Weedon of Mount Carmel, Ill., and step-daughter in Denver, Colo., also two nieces, Miss Barbara and Miss Mollie Courland of St. Louis, Mo. Mrs. Weedon entered the home April 15th, 1913, coming from Fairfield, Ill.

A short funeral service was held at the home Sunday afternoon and the body was then shipped to Fairfield, where funeral services will probably be held today and the body will be laid to rest by the side of her husband in the cemetery at Fairfield.

McClain.

Relatives of Mrs. John L. McClain here have received news of her death at her late home near Veldon, Iowa. The deceased was a daughter of Mrs. Isaac R. Barber of 699 Caldwell street and formerly lived in Cass county. The deceased had many friends in Cass and Morgan counties who will regret to hear of her death.

Corbin.

Nola Frances Corbin infant daughter of Arthur and Dora Waffle Corbin died at the family home, 539 South West street at 7:55 o'clock Sunday morning after an illness of three weeks. Funeral services were held from the residence Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Mackey with interment in Jacksonville cemetery.

Gilbert.

Mrs. Margaret Gilbert of 653 S. West street died at Our Savior's hospital Sunday evening at 10:55 o'clock. Mrs. Gilbert was the daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Phillips Beahrd and was born near Columbus, Ohio. She was united in marriage many years ago to W. M. Gilbert, who preceded her in death. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. George Craz, Chapin; W. H. Gilbert, Tacoma, Wash.; J. M. Gilbert, Jacksonville; I. J. Gilbert, Colville, Wash, and Mrs. Albert Rapsilver of this city. One brother Jerry Beahrd of Wrights also survives. Mrs. Gilbert was a woman of

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The funeral will be held from the residence, 653 South West street Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Mr. Barnett of Chapin with interment in Concord cemetery.

Givens.

Mrs. Robert Givens died Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock at her home in Waverly after an illness of ten days with pneumonia. She was 75 years of age. Mrs. Givens is survived by her husband; a son, William Givens; two grandchildren and one great grandchild. She leaves a sister, Mrs. William Turner and two brothers, John and Clayton Armstrong, all of Waverly.

Funeral services were held Monday forenoon at 11 o'clock at the Methodist church South, with the Rev. P. R. Watts of Girard in charge. Burial was made in the East cemetery.

Moore.

James C. Moore of Curran died at Passavant hospital at 2 o'clock Monday morning after an illness of a week. Mr. Moore came to this county two weeks ago to make his home with the family of William Barbre, southwest of the city, and but a few days after his arrival developed symptoms of pneumonia.

Mr. Moore was born Dec. 3, 1857, in West Virginia and came to Illinois at the age of seven. Surviving are the parents, Andrew J. and Mary M. Moore, Curran, and a brother, W. H. Moore of Sarcosie, Mo.

The body was brought to the undertaking establishment of William C. Cody for preparation for shipment to Sanger, Ill. Funeral services will be held at Mt. Zion church Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

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J. E. Barbre, Thomas Davis and Mr. and Mrs. William Barbre expected to accompany the body to Sanger Monday evening.

Mrs. Jesse Brewer, ill for some time at her home in Franklin, shows but slight improvement in condition.

CITY AND COUNTY

P. H. O'Brien was in the city yesterday from Quincy.

J. D. Ward of Virginia was here on business Monday.

Mrs. Charles Taylor was among Monday visitors in the city.

T. J. Beadles of Murrayville made the city a visit yesterday.

Miss Mary Clark of Peoria is visiting Jacksonville friends.

John Snyder of Alexander was a Sunday visitor in the city.

Robert Clayton made a business trip to St. Louis yesterday.

Miss Margaret Hale of Quincy was a visitor in the city Monday.

Fred Lippert of Arenzville called on city friends yesterday.

P. H. O'Brien of Quincy was visiting yesterday with city friends.

S. K. Strother of Havana was a caller on city people yesterday.

W. T. Meier of Petersburg spent Sunday with Jacksonville friends.

Judge William Deitrich of Beards-town was in the city yesterday.

John Hull of Murrayville made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Charles Teale of Waverly was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

Miss Mable Richert of White Hall was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Lawrence Henry of Woodson had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

James Mains of Oskaloosa, Kans., was a business visitor in the city Monday.

C. L. Walker of Hannibal, Mo., spent Monday in the city on business.

W. S. Dickson of White Hall was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Walter Braner of the vicinity of Grace Chapel was a city caller yesterday.

Elmer Henderson of the vicinity of Literberry was a city visitor yesterday.

Riley Spaenower of Pisgah was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Wm. Schumm of St. Louis is visiting his brother Otto Schumm of this city.

Miss Mabel Richards of White Hall was a caller yesterday on city friends.

Mrs. Lee Skiles of Virginia was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Rev. J. E. Artz of Ashland was one of the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Edward A. Brennan of the Pacific hotel was in Quincy Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Perbix of Markham vicinity were in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Myers were down to the city from Literberry yesterday.

Mrs. Minnie Graff of Ashland was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Mrs. W. S. Mondell of Virginia was one of the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Linn Lube of Franklin was among the business men in the city yesterday.

Miss Helen Augustine of Beards-town was a shopper in the city yesterday.

B. R. Sackett of St. Louis was interviewing Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

W. E. McCurley of the region of Woodson had business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Jessie Sidener of Beards-town was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Thomas Beadles of Murrayville was in the city yesterday on matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Bracewell of Murrayville were visitors in Jacksonville Monday.

Ota Drum has returned to his home in Franklin after a short Jacksonville visit.

Mrs. Frank Hare of Franklin is visiting Mrs. John Hagel on East College street.

Mrs. Adolph Meyer of Cass county made a shopping journey to the city yesterday.

Edward Stainsforth helped represent the village of Lynnville in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hart helped represent Sinclair precinct in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Weaver of Roodhouse were among the city's guests yesterday.

A. H. Willerton of Murrayville was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Charles O. Seymour of the town of Franklin made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Davis of Brookport, Ill., are visiting with Jacksonville friends.

Frank Wigginst of the southeast part of the county was a guest in the city Sunday.

Jack Lewis of Chicago was visiting some of the business men of the city yesterday.

Miss Leta p Stillwell spent Sunday with home folks in the Asbury neighborhood.

Mrs. N. O. Porman of Case avenue has gone to Barry for a visit with Mrs. Charles Baird.

Miss Gaynelle Olinger of Franklin has been a Jacksonville visitor for the past few days.

Mrs. Joe F. Brennan attended the funeral of her uncle, William Markham at Chapin yesterday.

Joseph Anderson of the east part of the county was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Charles Ryan of the southeast part of the county was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Taylor of Chandler were numbered among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

William L. Pfeil a merchant of Arenzville was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brunk of Concord were shoppers yesterday with Jacksonville merchants.

Miss Cecil White of South Church street spent Sunday with her friend Miss Cora Rudisill of Arcadia.

Ollie Rimbey of Manchester has moved to Jacksonville and taken a house at 613 South Church street.

James Kitchen of the southwest part of the county was called to the city yesterday by business matters.

Earl Rector of the vicinity of Sulphur Spring was attracted to the city by business matters yesterday.

Mrs. J. R. Smith, residing on North Church street, has returned from a visit with friends in San Jose.

James Bossart, formerly of Manchester has removed to the city and taken a residence on South East street.

Ella Martin of Lexington, Kentucky, is visiting her uncle, E. W. Crawford and family on East North street.

Mrs. Leland J. Ward and two daughters of Peoria are guests of Mrs. Ward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spinks.

Samuel W. Eldred of Carrollton came to Jacksonville last night to spend today with his sister, Mrs. S. A. Fairbank.

Miss Nellie Walker has returned to her home in Waverly after a visit with her friend, Miss Marie Morris of this city.

Ernest Camm and Mrs. Mary Hart have been called to Osborne, Mo., by the death of their sister, Mrs. Jessie Griffith.

Peter Plarenos, the Greek who was so badly burned in the accident at Bluffs was later taken to Decatur, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harney and children near Murrayville, spent Sunday with Mr. Harney's sister, Edward Cade and family.

Frank Robinson is home from his Indianapolis headquarters for a few days and is the guest of his parents southeast of the city.

Elbridge Lynn of Chandlerville was in the city yesterday visiting his friend, Max Gehrig at the clothing house of Tom Duffner.

Mrs. George J. Chambers has returned from Chicago, where for the past two weeks she has been a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Porter R. Leach.

Mr. and Mrs. William Straesser have returned to their home in Peoria after a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wagner on West College street.

Mrs. W. T. Harris of Vancouver, B. C., has gone to Mt. Olive for a visit with her mother. She has been at the home of her brother, George F. Stoldt, for the past few days.

Ernest Davidmeyer of Franklin was in Jacksonville Monday to accompany Mrs. Davidmeyer home from Passavant hospital, where she has been for medical treatment.

Rev. C. E. Casely, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Winchester was in the city yesterday and visited his friend, Rev. Mr. Theobald, pastor of Brooklyn church.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Children's Party.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Jordan gave a party Monday afternoon at their home, 347 Sandusky street in honor of their daughter, Anna Louise, the occasion being her eleventh birthday anniversary. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in games and in the guessing contest first prize was won by Helen Walton and the consolation prize by Dorothy Dunavan. In the peanut contest first prize was won by Portia Brockman and consolation prize by Dorothy Cully. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Lois Harney, Helen Birdsall, Mary Margaret Brady, Betty Black, Dorothy Cully, Corlette Cully, Portia Brockman, Morine Bradley, Helen Walton, Wilbur Williamson, Margaret Marshall, Dorothy Dunavan, Dorothy York, Aileen Ledford, Florence Cranwell, Catherine Jordan and Anna Louise Jordan.

Birthday Surprise For Mrs. Baptist.

Mrs. J. W. Baptist of 925 Beeley avenue was pleasantly surprised by a number of friends Monday evening, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Music and games furnished entertainment during the evening after which delicious refreshments were served. At a late hour guests departed wishing Mrs. Baptist many returns of the day.

J. H. S. Seniors Enjoy Party.

Men of the high school faculty entertained the senior class Monday evening at a banquet and symposium party in recognition of the service rendered by members of the class by selling the most tickets at the recent minstrel show given for the J. H. S. Band. Luncheon was served in the rooms of the home economics department at 6:15 o'clock and after the meal there was carried out a program of toasts. John Purry, president of the class, presided, calling upon the following:

Edward Tomlinson—"Senior Loyalty."

Miss Helen Obermeyer—"Class Friendship."

Mr. Morrison—"The Class of 1916."

Dale Boxell—"Hot Shots from the Firing Line."

Miss Jeanette Taylor entertained the company with two readings and Mr. Collins spoke briefly.

John Purry was chairman of the program committee, with Miss Esther Davis, Miss Gladys Andre, Miss Helen Alcott and James Haigh, assisting. On the refreshment committee were Misses Estelle Schofield, Elsie Reed, Esther Agnew, Margaret Waller and Florence Jordan, chairman. The walls of the dining room were decorated with green and white, colors of the class.

"Hurly-Burly" began the games in the gymnasium and this was followed by "A Trip to Heaven." Drop the handkerchief and other old fashioned games added to the entertainment and a game of "Follow the leader," caused considerable fun.

D. O. K. K. Dance.

Members of Ilderim Temple No. 62 and friends to the number of sixty gathered at Castle Hall Monday evening for one of the most pleasant, if not the best attended, of the Dokay series. Music was furnished by the Carroll & Large orchestra. The next dance of the series will be given Monday evening, April 19.

Mrs. J. H. Danskin returned yesterday from Rock Falls, where she and Mr. Danskin both addressed an anti-saloon mass meeting on Sunday. Mr. Danskin has for some time been in charge of the work at Galena.

REMEMBER CLARY SALE. Tomorrow, Wednesday, John Clary's big sale. Everything for a farm.

MAKES STOCK SHIPMENT. William Rook of Woodson shipped a car load of butcher stock and a car load of hogs Monday to the St. Louis markets.

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CHAPIN.

Mrs. B. J. Taylor and sister, Josephine were Jacksonville shoppers Monday.

Dr. J. H. Fountain called on Mrs. Fountain, who is ill at Our Saviour's hospital in Jacksonville yesterday. Mrs. Fountain is getting along about as well as could be expected.

Mrs. Elmer Coulson and children visited Mrs. Coulson's mother, Mrs. J. N. Petters of Merritt Saturday and Sunday.

Jess Duckett, August Englebrecht, and Dave Lewis, were business callers in Jacksonville yesterday.

Dr. Chapman was in Chapin Monday on business.

Mrs. Charles Hamilton has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. George Gilbert, Mrs. Hamilton's two

other sisters, Miss Anna Story and Mrs. Nettie Whitlock, were also present. Miss Story is from Morrill and Mrs. Whitlock resides in Arkansas.

Miss Gertrude Seymour of Concord and Miss Nannie Campbell were in Chapin Saturday between trains.

Mrs. George Antrobus, and son George, are visiting Mrs. Antrobus' daughter, Mrs. James Wallace. Mr. Wallace has gone to Missouri on business.

The funeral of Wm. Markham was held here Monday afternoon in the presence of a large gathering of friends and relatives. Interment was in Jordan cemetery. W. W. Gillham sang a solo. The bearers were, Thomas Paschall, A. Hoover, H. C. Brownlow, W. S. Brownlow, John Griffin and W. H. Riggs.

Newton Clayton of the vicinity of Franklin was a caller on city friends yesterday.

PISGAH

A large crowd attended the sale of Edward McGinnis' last Wednesday, March 22, everything bringing good prices.

Little Misses Elmira Samples and Nellie Wood are out of school on account of sickness.

George Coker made a business trip to the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Davis and son and Mrs. Chas. Davis journeyed to Jacksonville Friday in their Ford car.

Miss Esther Samples of Franklin spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Samples.

Dr. J. H. Fountain of Chapin spent Monday in the city on business.

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HAS EVIDENCE THAT WAITE BOUGHT VIRULENT DISEASE GERMS

Authorities Are Considering Whether to Investigate Deaths of Mrs. Peck—Indicate Waite Will Plead Insanity as a Defense.

New York, Mar. 27.—Virulent disease germs were purchased by Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, under arrest here on the charge of poisoning his millionaire father-in-law, John E. Peck, of Grand Rapids, Mich., according to evidence District Attorney Edward Swann said he obtained today.

William Weber, an attendant at the Cornell Medical school laboratory, Mr. Swann asserted, told him that between December 17, and March 8, Waite obtained from him live cultures of typhoid, diphtheria and other diseases, the young dentist declaring he was a physician and was experimenting on cats. Peck died March 12th, and his wife six weeks earlier both at Waite's home here.

Three days before Peck died, Waite purchased arsenic, he told the district attorney. Autopsies on the body of Peck disclosed substantially the same quantity of arsenic that Waite had purchased on March 11th. Analysis of Peck's vital organs will be made, Mr. Swann said, to learn if they show the presence of germs similar to those purchased by Waite.

The authorities are considering whether to investigate the death of Mrs. Peck, whose illness was similar to that of her husband. Mrs. Peck's body was cremated, but Mr. Swann said he may order a chemical analysis of the ashes in an effort to find traces of poison.

The scope of the district attorney's investigation was broadened today. Mr. Swann said new evidence indicated that Waite was associated with other persons. For this reason the grand jury has been asked to delay returning an indictment. Frank A. Waite, brother of the accused man, after visiting the dentist today said that physically the latter was all right, but when asked about his mental condition, replied:

"There is something wrong somewhere. He has amplified considerably some of the facts he already had told me."

The statements of Frank Waite and a deposition by his father telling of hereditary manifestations of mental disorders indicated to the district attorney that Waite will plead insanity as a defense.

MEXICAN BANDITS RAID RANCH OF C. E. KELLY, EAST OF EL PASO

Drive Off a Number of Cattle and Seriously Beat Caretaker.

El Paso, Mar. 27.—The ranch of C. E. Kelly, former mayor of El Paso, 32 miles east of here was raided tonight by Mexican bandits, who drove off a number of cattle and seriously beat the caretaker.

Two detachments of the Eighth Cavalry are in pursuit of the bandits. One troop started at full gallop from Fabens, two miles from the ranch. The second left Ysleta, some miles on the other side, at the same time in an effort to cut them off from the river. The alarm was given by an unknown woman who got a telephone call in to Captain Moss, in command of troops at Fabens. Mr. Kelley was notified by a long distance telephone message from his foreman. The foreman said the raiders were supposed to have come from Guadalupe, across the river from Fabens. The Mexican employees on the ranch held them off in a battle in which more than one hundred shots were exchanged.

TESTIFIES INDIAN MADE TONIC

Chicago, Mar. 27.—Evidence was introduced today in the \$300,000 libel suit against the American Medical association and George H. Simmons, editor of the Journal of the association for calling Wine of Cardui a nostrum and alcoholic beverage, to show that the preparation was not invented by the plaintiffs, John A. and Z. C. Patten of Chattanooga, Tenn. Mrs. Mary Elizabeth McElree of Dallas, Texas, testified by deposition that the tonic was first made by Indians.

QUIET REIGNS AT VERA CRUZ

Vera Cruz, Mar. 27.—The United States Battleship Kentucky anchored inside the harbor here this afternoon. The United States Gunboat Marietta sailed late today for Tampico. Everything is quiet in Vera Cruz.

ANNOUNCEMENT CAUSES SENSATION IN MEXICO CITY

Mexican Government Considers Advisability of Taking Over Personal and Realty Holdings of Catholic Clergy Throughout Republic.

Mexico City, Mar. 27.—The published announcement that the Mexican government is considering the advisability of taking over all the personal and realty holdings of the Catholic clergy throughout the republic created somewhat of a sensation here this morning. In a special despatch from Queretaro, El Democrata quotes the official government organ as follows: "The secretary of the Treasury, Cabrera and Dr. Siurob, governor of the state of Guanajuato, as saying that the measure would be made effective under the old law dating back more than a half century, when church edicts were seized during the administration of Benito Juarez."

The clergy in the states of Michoacan, Puebla, Queretaro, and Jalisco are reputed to be immensely wealthy in jewels and works of art which are held in trust for the church. It is said that the appropriation of these by the government for their conversion in gold with which to swell the reserve to be accumulated for the redemption of the paper money issue made necessary by the revolution would solve Mexico's present economic difficulties. Government official declarations place the present paper issue at 500,000,000 pesos with an insignificant metallic reserve for its redemption.

GEN. GOMEZ REACHES AGUA PRIETA FOR CONFERENCE WITH GEN. CALLES

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Mar. 27.—General Arnulfo Gomez, commanding a column of de facto troops arrived in Agua Prieta late today, for a conference with General P. Elias Calles military governor of Sonora Gomez left his column in the vicinity of Cumpas and Metztuma approximately 150 miles south of the border.

The new troops will be stationed at Esquedra thirty five miles south of Douglas and at Cuatitlan, where General Calles previously had established his forces retaining but a small number in Agua Prieta opposite here.

The new troops movement is said by Mexican officials to be for the purpose of establishing a mobile force in a position where it can strike rapidly either northeast or southeast in protecting the Chihuahua border from any attempt on the part of Villa to enter Sonora.

IMMIGRATION BILL WILL PASS HOUSE PROBABLY BY TONIGHT

WASHINGTON, Mar. 27.—The immigration bill with its literacy test provision intact will pass the house probably by tomorrow night.

The literacy test, barring with a few exceptions all aliens over 16 years old, physically capable of reading, who cannot read the English language or some other language or dialect, was approved today by the ones working as a committee of the whole by a vote of 225 to 82. This action presaged the passage of the bill by an overwhelming majority, despite the record of presidential vetoes of several similar measures on account of the literacy test. Many amendments were unsuccessfully offered during the day but none of importance was accepted.

FIGHTING STRENGTH OF U. S. NAVY HALF THAT OF GERMANY

WASHINGTON, Mar. 27.—With the explanation that he "hated to say it," Rear-Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, former aide for operations, told the house naval committee today that in fighting strength the United States navy was only about half as strong as Germany. He discussed the subject reluctantly but in response to question expressed the opinion that all things considered, two to one would not be very far away in an estimate of the comparative strength of the German and American fleets. The Admiral declared that the navy was not getting value received for money expended and was only about 75 per cent of what it should be under a better system of administration.

DEFEAT EFFORT TO EXPEL DUNCAN McDONALD AND GERMER

Illinois Miners Pass Resolutions Calling President White to Account on Charges Involving Theft of Letters.

Peoria, Ill., March 27.—Defeat of an effort to expel Duncan McDonald, secretary, and Adolph Germer, prominent in the organization of the Illinois mine workers from the state body, and the calling to account of the international president, J. P. White, on charges involving the theft of correspondence letters made against him by McDonald, were the principal features of today's sessions of the Illinois division of the United Mine Workers of America in convention here.

Both questions were fought strenuously from the floor by opposing factions controlled by the principals and only the careful handling of debate by President Farrington prevented personal encounters. Attention of the convention was called to the White resolution by report of the resolutions committee which recommended the rejection of the resolution. The resolution threw the convention into debate which finally ended in an almost unanimous vote against the adoption of the committee report. The resolution was then put and carried by a substantial margin. The resolution follows:

"Whereas, In regard to the letters that were taken from Duncan McDonald's desk in the state office, we think that there was an injustice done Brother McDonald and unnecessary contention raised among the rank and file; therefore be it

"Resolved, That this convention make a demand upon J. P. White to explain how he came into possession of those letters and to make a full confession."

Following close on this action came the report on the resolution asking the censure and expulsion of Secretary McDonald and Mr. Germer. This resolution was based upon the alleged information obtained by White and made public by him thru the alleged theft of letters between Germer and McDonald which was said to have exposed a scheme between the two to initiate and promote a dual organization of miners in Illinois.

After considerable discussion of the measure the question was voted down by a decisive majority.

JURY IS COMPLETED IN ONE SESSION FOR WOLF TRIAL

DECATUR, Ill., Mar. 27.—Unexpected progress was made today when a jury was completed in one session for the trial of J. M. Wolf, of Sullivan. He is charged with arson in connection with the partial destruction by fire of the Cassell house, one of Decatur's finest old residences in December. A change in judges was granted the defense. Judge A. A. Parlow of Danville coming here to hear the case. Clarence Darrow of Chicago and Henderson and Gilbert of Decatur, are appearing for the defendant. State's Attorney Deck and assistant, A. F. Evans are prosecuting.

SENECA FINDS NORWEGIAN SHIP DISMASTED AND ADRIFT

WASHINGTON, March 27.—The coast guard cutter Seneca, reported by wireless late today that she had located the Norwegian ship Svaland, dismasted and adrift in a raging storm, 265 miles southeast of Halifax, and would take her in tow as soon as the gale abated.

The Svaland, a 3,000 ton sailing ship, left Liverpool February 21 for New York. She is believed to have had her masts carried away by a storm which swept the North Atlantic early this month and to have been drifting helplessly ever since.

ELECT MAC VICAR MAYOR OF DES MOINES BY LARGE MAJORITY

DES MOINES, Iowa, Mar. 27.—John MacVicar one of the founders of the Des Moines plan of commission government was elected mayor of Des Moines today by an overwhelming majority over Lewis E. Royal. Councilman elected are Thomas Fairweather, secretary of the Des Moines Baseball club; John Bud, H. P. Frase, and Ben Woolgar. The chief issue revolved about "an open town policy." The council is divided evenly between the so-called liquor and dry candidates.

FIREMAN IS KILLED WHEN FAST FREIGHT GOES INTO DITCH

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Mar. 27.—Otis Rice, a fireman for the Big Four, was killed and Engineer Claude Perry, of Saybrook seriously injured and Frank Cooper, fireman for the Lake Erie probably fatally scalded, when Lake Erie and Western fast freight number 65 went into a ditch six miles west of Ames, Ind., this morning. The train was torn up for a distance of four hundred feet and the train of fifty cars badly wrecked.

TO ARRANGE FOR JEWISH CONGRESS

Philadelphia, March 27.—An executive committee of seventy prominent Jews, representing various sections of this country, will select the date and make the other arrangements for a Jewish congress to be held in Washington some time between September 3 and December 31, 1916, to voice demands for civil and religious liberty throughout the world. The committee was elected here tonight at the closing of the conference called to plan for the proposed congress. Three hundred and fifty seven delegates from twenty-eight states, representing 3,381 organizations, attended the meeting which began yesterday.

VILLA IS FLYING TOWARD SIERRAS

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the thin line of communications. The sandstorms which sweep across the Chihuahua wastes are similar to the simooms which have again and again wiped out caravans in the Sahara desert. Mormon colonists and American ranchmen agree that nothing but a railroad can cope with nature in this dreary region. Even if wagon roads were constructed their life would be brief.

Tons of Supplies Ready. Thousands of tons of foodstuffs, clothing, ammunition, hospital supplies and forage are in warehouses here, ready for shipment south the minute word arrives that General Carranza has granted the right to use the Mexican railroads.

A few hours after such information comes—if it does come—several heavily loaded trains will be started for the Casas Grandes district. If permission to use the Mexican Northwestern railroad is granted by the de facto government General Funston will provide his own equipment for the forwarding of supplies. United States army headquarters in El Paso already have arranged with railroads entering here to provide engines, cars and train crews to make up supply trains.

One Ray of Hope Persists. While public opinion on the border is openly pessimistic regarding any speedy termination to the pursuit of Villa, there is one ray of hope that persists. It is pointed out that the bandit has never had to match his generalship against a force of American soldiers equipped with every appliance and device that modern science has contributed to the art of warfare. The optimists are especially insistent on the possibilities of the aeroplanes with General Pershing's columns.

One of the minor hardships which the American soldiers at the front are at present enduring is the difficulty of communicating with their wives and relatives back home. Such mail as is coming back is censored to such an extent that it consists largely of the "I am well and hope you are the same" variety. Like the soldiers at the European fronts the Americans cannot even indicate from where the letter starts. "Somewhere in Mexico" promises to become as popular a phrase in the United States as "somewhere in France" is in Europe.

Fourteen soldiers arrived at the hospital at Fort Bliss from the front today. They were all suffering from minor complaints. Leave Administration Unhampered. Washington, Mar. 27.—Failure of senate republicans to take any action at a conference today on the Mexican situation left the administration unhampered in dealing with the problem.

The conference was called with the purpose of considering steps to force the dispatch of additional troops to the border for patrol duty. In the face of official advice denying alarm reports, however, and of General Funston's apparent confidence that he has enough men for any present emergency, the republicans adjourned with some of their leaders agreeing that there was nothing to do but support the administration's plans at this time.

Official advice confirmed press dispatches telling of the physical difficulties encountered by General Funston in keeping a 200 mile supply line in operation without the use of railroads. While there is no shortage of food or other supplies for the troops at the front cavalry mounts already are on short rations. Steps to meet the situation have been taken by Secretary Baker as there is no indication of an early agreement on the proposed protocol providing for the use of Mexican lines by American troops. Mr. Baker issued this statement late today.

Conditions Quiet Along Border. "All information the department has from the border shows conditions to be quiet and the excitement of the last few days somewhat allayed. We have no dispatches indicating actual conflict between American soldiers and any forces of any kind in Mexico."

"The expedition is, of course, moving forward, and so lengthening the line of communication. For that reason, General Funston has requested and the department has purchased, two additional automobile trucks equipment comprising fifty four cars in all. In addition to that General Funston tells us that additional aeroplanes will be of service, both in reconnaissance work and in carrying messages from the advance column to the base at Columbus. Of the aeroplanes already there, two have been destroyed. Others have need of replacing parts, but two of them are in actual continuous service. The department is now negotiating for the purchase of additional aeroplanes but neither the number of type has yet been determined. "Wireless communication is reported to be intermittent because of the conditions in the electric field there. For this reason additional importance is given to the request for larger aeroplane facilities."

Only Two Machines in Service. The secretary said the destruction of two army aeroplanes had not been explained as yet to the department. Four of the remaining six machines on the border were under repair, leaving only two of the original eight in actual service.

The army has plenty of skilled aviators to operate the machines that will be purchased, Mr. Baker added. He said that while the Aero Club had volunteered the services of its men and machines, the law forbade their acceptance. The negotiations of a protocol covering use of the Mexican railroads and other matters beyond the border encountered a delay today, with the receipt of General Carranza's suggestions as to modifications and additions to the plan worked out by Counsellor Polk of the state

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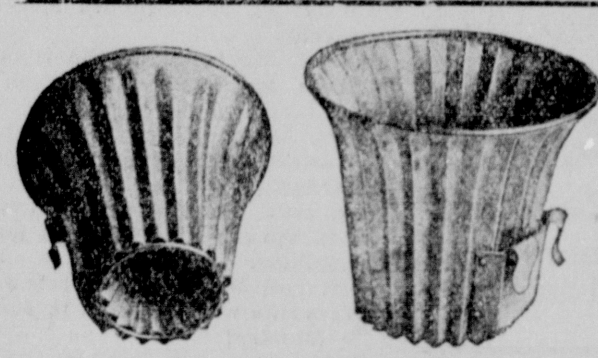
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YOUTH KILLS RIVAL

Scottsburg, Ind., March 27.—In the presence of Miss Grace Huffman, a high school student, Hardy Robinson, 21, shot and killed Ancil Phillips, 17, a rival for the girl's favor, at Miss Huffman's home in Lexington, a village eight miles from here, last night. It became known here today. Robinson was arrested and says he acted hastily. The families of the three are among the most prominent in the country.

AGED MAN SUICIDES

Irwin, Ia., March 27.—Because it is believed he could get no word from his two sons, who are fighting in the German army, John Henry Jessen, 75, hanged himself in his home near here.

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tains, \$3.00 value \$1.79 pair
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First Services of Series Held Sunday
with Good Interest—Work of Sing-
er, Rex J. Moon, Pleases Congre-
gation.

The revival services which have
been advertised for Centenary church
began Sunday under favorable cir-
cumstances. While weather condi-
tions were not the best, good con-
gregations were present at both the
morning and evening services. The
pastor, the Rev. G. W. Flagg, is
conducting the preaching and has for his
assistants, Mr. and Mrs. Rex J. Moon
of Chicago.

Mr. Moon's special work is direct-
ing the chorus and his wife directs
the personal work. Both have found
a place of high regard among the
membership of Centenary church
who have come in touch with them.
As a chorus director it is doubtful
if Jacksonville has seen a better one
than Mr. Moon. He is without affecta-
tion, has no peculiarities or stunts
of a sensational character, but he
certainly has the faculty of getting
the music out of the members of
his chorus. Mr. Moon came to the
city last Friday and while he had
not met with the chorus for but three
rehearsals he had its members sing-
ing like veterans Sunday night.

The sermon Sunday morning was
directed to the church membership
and was an appeal for them to be
entirely submissive to the Shepherd
of their souls. Mr. Moon sang as
a solo "The Ninety and Nine" most
effectively. While the music at this
service was good it was the evening
service that attracted the people and
at which the chorus did its best
work.

Every chair reserved for the sing-
ers was occupied and the singers
responded readily to every move-
ment of the director. The book used
is the same that is used in the Sun-
day meetings in Baltimore. The ser-
vice was opened with "Brighten the
Corner Where You Are." This has
proved to be the most popular of the
many songs in this book. "In the
Garden" and the advertised song,
"Tell It Everywhere You Go," proved
equally popular with the first named
and were as cordially enjoyed.

The most telling number given by
the chorus was the parable of the
men who built their houses one upon
the sand and the other on the rock
entitled "The House That Stood the
Storm," which has been set to music
with wonderful effectiveness. This
was the first time that this has ever
been heard in this city and its im-
pression lasted throughout the service.
As a solo Mr. Moon sang "Must I
Go On Empty-handed" with fine ef-
fect, after which the pastor used a
sentence from Nehemiah, "I am do-
ing a great work," making the ap-
plication to the importance of the
work which would be done during
the coming weeks in the revival ser-
vices.

On account of the limited space for
seating the singers this was in-
creased Monday to accommodate
about twenty-five more. The seats
on the main floor were filled at the
Sunday night service and arrange-
ments are being made to open the
gallery balcony so as to accommodate
several hundred more. On account
of the storm which had raged thru-
out the day the congregation was not
so large at the services last night.

While the chorus was much re-
duced on account of the weather
those who were present entered into
the singing with the usual fine spirit
and scored another success.
"The House That Stood the Storm"
was the title of the special number
by the chorus. "Will You Not Try
to Win Someone?" was given by Mr.
Moon as a solo. As the sermon theme
of the evening Mr. Flagg took the
text, "The time of my departure is
at hand," 2d Timothy, 4-6. Describ-
ing the life of a good man, the min-
ister compared the soul to the cargo
of a ship. Some have laid up stores
of precious wares. Others have al-
lowed the accumulation of mere rub-
bish. "We know so little of the sea
over which we must all pass, that
for his own bark each one has need
of the Eternal Pilot."

CHAMINADE CLUB.

The Chaminaide Musical club met
Monday afternoon at the home of
Mrs. J. Bart Johnson on South West
street. There was a good attendance
of members and an interesting pro-
gram of beautiful selections from
the works of famous English woman
composers was rendered as follows:

Program.
Music in England—Woman Com-
posers.

- (1) That We Two Were Maying..... Alice Mary Smith
Mrs. Canatsey, Miss Graham
- (a) June Song Mary Carmichael
- (b) Come Sweet Morning
..... (Mrs. R. Lehmann) A. L.
Mrs. J. P. Brown.
- Wandering Helen Hopekirk
Miss Sieber.
- (a) A Mountain Serenade
..... Florence Aylward
- (b) Garden of My Heart
..... Amy Woodforde Finden
Mrs. Roland Stice.
- (a) A Dream Ellen Wright.
- (b) A Golden June
..... Maud Valerie White
Miss Spoon.
- Piano Solo Selected..
Miss Walker.
- (a) Haymaking Alice Needham
- (b) A Song of Dawn
..... Francis Allisten
Mrs. Robert L. Stice.
- (a) Love is a Bird
..... Teresa Del Reigo
- (b) At the Making of the Hay.....
..... Liza Lehmann
Mrs. E. D. Canatsey.
- Piano Solo Selected
Mrs. Homer Potter.
- (a) Violets Ellen Wright
- (b) The Sun and the Shower.....
..... Helen Guy D'Hardelet
Mrs. J. Bart Johnson.

Robert Caplinger of Havan was ad-
ded to the visiting population of the
city yesterday.

LIABILITY INSURANCE CONSIDERED BY COUNCIL

POLICY TO BE TAKEN OUT COV-
ERING CITY EMPLOYEES

Seven Companies Made Proposition
in Response to Bids—Two Side-
walk Petitions Presented—Mayor
Again Expresses Hope That Rail-
way Company Will not Block Pav-
ing.

Liability insurance was the prin-
cipal matter given consideration at
the council meeting Monday morn-
ing. In accordance with recent ad-
vertisement, bids were received from
seven different companies proposing
to insure the employees of the city.
The bids were all at the same rate
but there was some variation as to
classification. The total amount in
each case was about \$1,935. The
premium is based on estimates of
the city payroll and the actual pre-
mium payment would be settled at
the end of the year by an audit of
the city's payroll. The bids were
referred to Commissioner Widmayer
who will examine them and then
make a report with his recommenda-
tions.

Sidewalk Petitions.

Several side walk petitions were
received, and they, with some in-
formal reports, constituted about
the sum total of business transac-
ted. A petition was read signed by
Bernard Gause, W. W. Holliday and
Mrs. J. L. Wylder, asking authority
to lay a concrete walk on the west
side of North Church street between
Reid and Duncan streets, and was
granted. A petition was read asking
that a walk be laid in front of the
property at 403 East College street.
This petition was signed by John Van
Os, James McGinnis, W. J. Winches-
ter, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Matthews,
Mrs. Ella J. Brainer, Mrs. Kate Dev-
lin, Mrs. Margaret Wells, Mrs. A.
J. Gebert and N. Schirz. Following
the statement by Mr. Cox that the
whole block was in need of a walk,
the petition was received and placed
on file.

Mr. Vasconcellos reported that
some repair parts for the north side
wells have been received. He also
stated that he would have reservoir
park cleaned up and that he was
in favor of turning this property
over to the care of the park board.
Mayor Rodgers said that he had
talked to the chairman of the park
board and that the board felt favor-
able to the plan.

John Wolke, a resident of Edgmon
street, presented for the considera-
tion of the council a plat of the
street he had made indicating the
grading and excavating which he
considered would be desirable there.
His suggestion was that if a side-
walk was laid with the proper grade
that the roadway would have to be
cut down considerably and said that
if this earth could be taken and
used for filling in adjacent lots, that
the property owners would pay for
the work and put down a concrete
walk on the south side of the street
all the way from North Diamond to
Gladstone street. Mr. Cox was of
the opinion that the street west of
Gladstone was low at one point and
that any surplus dirt should be used
for leveling the street there.
The whole matter was referred to
Commissioner Cox and City Engi-
neer Henderson with power to act.

Insurance Estimate.
Bids were opened for furnishing
the city with liability insurance and
in each case were approximately as
follows:

Department	Payroll	Rate	Amount
Cemetery	employees .. \$3,800	\$1.53	\$58.14
Civil en-	gineering .. 960	.61	4.90
Street Dept.	4,200	2.30	96.60
Light Dept.	8,100	3.95	319.95
Water Dept.	6,900	3.19	220.11
Police Dept.	7,900	3.44	271.76
Fire Dept.	8,400	11.48	964.32
Clerical Dept.	1,800	.08	1.44

Total \$1,937.22
Bids were submitted by the fol-
lowing companies: Globe Indemnity
company, Walter Ayers; Travelers
Insurance company, C. H. Ward;
Maryland Casualty company, W. E.
Veitch; London Guaranty & Acci-
dent company, Ltd., Bancroft & King;
Standard Accident Insurance com-
pany, J. N. Kennedy; Aetna Insur-
ance company, of Hartford, G. H.
Kopperl; Employers Liability As-
surance corporation, Matthews &
Jenkinson.

Following the opening of the bids
Mr. Richardson, representative of
the Travelers company, made a brief
statement about liability insurance
and liability laws and was followed
by Mr. Hollowbush, representing the
Employers Liability Insurance cor-
poration. These representatives ex-
plained that the rates submitted
were all the same because the com-
panies represented were all of a
standing which permitted their
membership in a central association.
It was explained that the rates being
the same, that all that would re-
main for the council would be to
satisfy themselves as to which com-
pany, because of capital, surplus
and general reputation, appealed to
them as being the most satisfactory.
With reference to the rate, it was
also stated that an application had
been made to the tariff board of the
association to see if it would be
possible for the city to have a spe-
cial rate. If this should be the
case, all of the companies would be
able to revise the quotations made.
Attention was called to the fact that
for any special work done under
contractors that the city is not free
from liability if for any reason suit
is brought against a contractor and
he either has not insurance or is
unable to meet the claim. Mention

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even with a man who has adminis-
tered the harpoon to you, when you
can do it, with a clean conscience,"
said the horse doctor. "The other
day I had to go into the country and
kill a couple of diseased horses be-
longing to Lemuel Crowfoot, by
order of the state veterinarian."

"Crowfoot is the most confirmed
tightwad in this part of the country,
and he has owed me a bill for nine-
teen years. It afforded me much
satisfaction, I admit, when I showed
him my authority, and proceeded to
execute two of his best looking
horses."

"There certainly is much comfort
in doing a good action, if you know
that said good action will put a
crimp in people you don't like," con-
fessed the village patriarch. "There
is nothing vengeful in my nature,
and if a man does me an injury I
try to forget it, but sometimes you
simply can't forget things."

"My next door neighbor, Simeon
Gooseworthy, has a spiteful dispo-
sition. He spends most of his spare
time playing a cornet. That would
be all right if he knew how to play,
but he doesn't, and the sounds he
produces would rend a heart of stone.
I have politely asked him, on several
occasions, to give his musical instru-
ment a well-earned vacation. If a
neighbor convinces me that I am
making him uncomfortable, and asks
me to reform, I do everything possi-
ble to oblige him."

"But Gooseworthy is just naturally
mean, a born piker, and when he
found that his cornet playing set my

teeth on edge, and covered my brow
with a cold sweat, he played more
than ever. He would neglect his
work to come over to our fence, and
play "Annie Rooney," when he saw
me trying to read the newspaper;
and no man could listen to his music
and get any sense out of the printed
page at the same time."

"There is a big elm tree right in
front of my gate. It is public prop-
erty, being outside the lot line, but
I placed a rustic seat under it last
summer, and everybody in the neigh-
borhood blessed me for it."

"A few weeks ago there was a
spell of remarkably warm weather,
and Gooseworthy would seat himself
under the tree whenever he had time,
and make the evenings hideous with
his noise. He drove me into the
house, time after time, when I tried
to read my paper on the porch. Then
one evening I read that all the elms
were doomed unless they were
treated with some sticky stuff called
Tanglefoot. This substance would
stop all the bugs and caterpillars
and things that tried to climb into
the trees."

"So I bought a can of the stuff and
applied it to the elm. I knew I was
doing a public service in trying to
save that magnificent tree, but my
chief pleasure came from the thought
that Gooseworthy probably would
lean back against the Tanglefoot
when he sat there to play his cornet.
And he did, my friends. He hap-
pened to be wearing his Sunday coat
at the time, and the remarks he
made, when he pried himself loose
from the tree, are not to be repeated
in a family drugstore."

FRANK GUNN ARRAIGNED IN JUSTICE COURT AND FREED

Prosecution Failed to Make Case
Against Young Man Who Appear-
ed on Serious Charge.

The case of Frank Gunn arrested
on a statutory charge was tried be-
fore Justice Henderson Monday. The
complainant witness was Bertha
Jeffers and the crime is alleged to
have been committed last Septem-
ber. The girl was 16 years of age
on March 23.

State's Attorney Tilton conducted
the case for the people while Gunn
was represented by John M. Butler
and W. N. Hargrove. Capt. J. A.
Mace of the Salvation Army who has
been interested in the prosecution
of the case was present and assist-
ed State's Attorney Tilton.

After hearing the evidence the
attorneys for the defense made a
motion to dismiss the case on the
ground that the people failed to
prove a crime. A decision of the
supreme court was cited to uphold
the motion. The three points brought
out were: First that the girl must

be shown to be under sixteen years
of age. Second that the man is
over seventeen years of age and
third that the deed was actually
committed. The prosecution failed
to show that the defendant was
over seventeen years of age.

After hearing the arguments the
court upheld the contention of the
defense and the defendant was not
held to the grand jury. It was stat-
ed that the parties interested will
call the attention of the grand jury
to the case at the May term of the
circuit court.

WM. NUNES BUYS TRACTOR.

William Nunes has recently pur-
chased from Martin Bros., a 1920 in-
ternational tractor. It has three
plows attached and is operated with
coal oil as fuel. Mr. Nunes intends
to use the tractor in his general
farm work. The international com-
pany has recently laid special stress
upon the idea of using oil instead
of gasoline as fuel, since the price
of gasoline has gone up to such a
high figure. Coal oil is quoted at a
little more than one-third the price
of gasoline.

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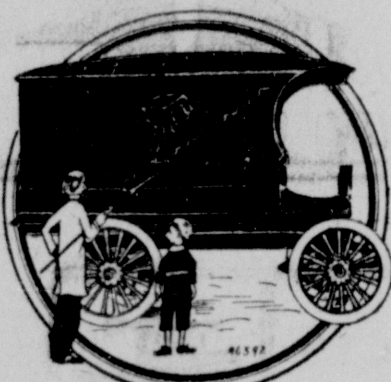
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WOMEN LISTEN TO REASON.

You who suffer, why do you hesitate to try what has removed the sufferings of others? That good old fashioned remedy, made from roots and herbs—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—has stood the test. It has no rival in overcoming the ailments peculiar to your sex. Why should it not do for you what it has done for others? Give it a chance. Adv.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE (By the Associated Press)

London, March.—Sir Reginald Brade, Secretary of the War Office, received a representative of the Associated Press, and gave facilities, thru one of his staff as escort, to see something of this huge war machine in full swing under the pressure of one of the greatest wars with which it has ever had to cope. It was an experience of several hours, exploring the labyrinths of the vast institution, fairly vibrating with energy at every point and yet proceeding with precision and efficiency in meeting the big part it is taking in the conduct of the war.

Some idea of the immensity of this war establishment may be had from the fact that its corridors are two miles long—a good brisk walk of an hour. And along these two miles is a good sized city of people, over 4,000, engaged in the infinite details of this war work, great and small, all the way from Lord Kitchener, Secretary of State for War, down to boy scouts and girl messengers. And this is only the central establishment, for the war exigencies have outgrown even this huge building, and many outside buildings, business blocks and other premises have been taken in as War Office branches. The sudden extension of censoring as a precaution of military defense has called into service a large army of censors, and a number of large business premises in various quarters have been acquired for the military censor's branch. Three or four other branches are at other points, and practically the whole of the defense branch has grown into a separate government department, with a cabinet minister, Lloyd-George, at its head.

Yet the War Office still remains the bustling center of the war work; here the larger questions of strategy and the campaigns in various theatres of the war are worked out; here the Army Council and the Imperial General Staff, hold their meetings, and here the many branches of military work ramify from the headquarters of Lord Kitchener, General Sir W. Robertson, Chief of the Imperial Staff, Lieut. General Sir H. Scaler, Adjutant General to the Forces, Lieut. General Sir C. Cowans, Quartermaster General, and the two members of Parliament who represent the civilian branch and keep the war branch in touch with Parliament. Mr. Tennant, Parliamentary Under Secretary for War, and Mr. Foster, Financial Secretary for War, with Sir Reginald Brade as Secretary of the War Office and of the War Council.

It is difficult to get into the War Office, and more difficult to get out—like the continental railway system. Guards turn away all those without papers from authorized sources, stating a definite purpose for the visit and a fixed time. Passing this barrier, one's name and address is taken, and a permit issued, and the addresses are always available at Scotland Yard wishes to investigate the antecedents of anyone making unauthorized inquiries.

Within the building there is an air of work under high pressure and with rigid military discipline, with many officers in uniform, old-soldiers as messengers, and the boy scouts and girl messengers also in uniform, the girls in brown khaki dress and blouse with brass buttons, and a brass device on the collar.

There are two outstanding figures of interest at the War Office just now—Lord Kitchener, the supreme head of the whole establishment, Lord Derby, whose scheme for increasing the army has brought him very much in the public eye, while across the road, at the Horse Guards is Field Marshal French, now Lord French of Ypres, who as commander of home defense, is now directing home defenses in general and the air-gate defenses in particular. Lord Kitchener's windows look out on the busy traffic of Whitehall, with the mounted Horse Guards across the way, and the bronze equestrian statue of the Duke of Cambridge, in sweeping plume and full regalia of a field marshal, at the entrance. The offices are stately, with portraits of distinguished War Ministers. But under Kitchener they have taken on an air of the camp, with maps all about and on the walls indicating the campaigns in many fields of British operation—in Flanders, at Saloniki, in Egypt and Mesopotamia, and of all operations on the Austro-Italian front, in Russia, and other points.

Lord Kitchener comes and goes, always as a soldier, in uniform. He goes in uniform to Buckingham Palace for his conferences with the King, and in uniform to the House of Lords, where he is a member, to announce government policies on the war. His busy hours at headquarters are in the morning and at night, attending war councils, seeing the chief staff officers and directing plans. He appears always calm and unruffled in the mass of details pressing from every side, and he returns the salutes of soldiers along the corridor with the same deference they give him, like Washington, who bowed to his servants because he would not permit his subordinates to outdo him in courtesy.

Lord Derby's quarters are across the corridor, and though he is a civilian and wears no uniform, he is surrounded by a military staff and is doing one of the most important military works—establishing a reservoir, he calls it, which will supply at steady stream of recruits as the military authorities need them. Instead of war maps, Lord Derby has a map of the United Kingdom hanging back of his desk, for his problem has been the assembling of men in proper quotas from different points within the country. Field Marshal French's quarters are not far away, the center of bustling activity in connection with the new air defenses. Just what these are, is not being made known, except in the guarded announcements of Lord

Kitchener to Parliament, as the theory of the war officials is that surprise is an essential element in the effectiveness of a war-weapon. So that about all that is known is that Field Marshal French is working with Percy Scott, the naval expert, in an extensive scheme of land and coast defenses and warnings, with rapidly increasing air-defense guns around London and in all exposed parts of England.

But while these main figures of the War Office are most before the public, there is also a vast organization carrying on the innumerable day-to-day branches of military work. The main divisions are the General Staff, the Adjutant General, the Quartermaster General, and the Civil and Financial departments, with most of the Ordnance branch now transferred to the Ministry of Munitions. Under these main heads there are some 120 divisions, taking in the whole range of military activities. The War Council is, in effect, made up of the heads of these main divisions, seven in all, with Lord Kitchener as president of the Council, and General Robertson, Chief of Staff, Adjutant General Scaler, Quartermaster General Cowans, Major General Von Donop, Parliamentary Secretary Tennant and Financial Secretary Foster as the other members of the War Council. The General Staff, with General Robertson at its head, makes the scientific studies of military defense, assembles all the available intelligence on different campaigns, furnishes the experts, and has charge of the military inter-communication by telegraph and signaling. Unlike the American system, the British Army Medical Service is under the Adjutant General. The extensive purchase of American horses, harness and supplies has come under the direction of Quartermaster General Cowans, who has general charge of food, clothing and supplies, land and water transportation of troops, supplying horses, etc.

The recent transfer of Ordnance from the War Office to the Ministry of Munitions shows the remarkable development of Ordnance, particularly artillery, since it first came into use. It was not until 1482 that England established an Ordnance office, the War Office records showing that Raut Bigod was the first Master of Ordnance. That was the time the Germans were first using these strange engines called artillery, throwing enormous stones. So the English appointed a Master of Ordnance, and soon after Ferdinand of Spain also got some of these new engines of warfare and with them succeeded at last in battering down the walls of Grenada and driving the Moors out of Spain. From that time on artillery was a main factor in settling wars, and in England such men as the Duke of Marlborough, Lord Cornwallis, Lord Howe, and the Duke of Wellington, were Masters of Ordnance. It is a curious fact that after Lord Cornwallis' surrender at Yorktown, he returned to England and became the Master General of Ordnance. This matter of big guns has been growing ever since, until this war made it such a factor a new Cabinet Minister took it over as a separate department.

A visit to the Registry branch of the War Office gave an idea of the immensity of the work going on, for this branch receives everything coming in and distributes the business to all branches. Over 100,000 letters are received every week, and of these an average of 40,000 go thru the formality of registering. Once registered, a communication is an official record of the government, eventually under the control of the Master of the Rolls. The mere registering of this vast influx of 40,000 pieces of separate war business is a prodigious work. Ten youths were at a long table engaged solely in sifting open the envelopes. Fourteen sacks of war business had come in the first morning mail, and this was only the start. Room after room is filled with men and women workers, registering these communications and getting them started to the 120 branches. A war communication addressed personally, to Lord Kitchener or any other official, is delivered direct, but unless personally addressed it is part of the War Office business, and goes to one of the 120 branches, according to the subject treated. There is no time for high-sounding titles, and so every branch and every official is known by a group of letters, and every officer in the service has a number. This Registry branch under the direction of one of the veteran members of Sir Reginald Brade's staff, Mr. Pedley, is a model of efficiency in the handling of the avalanche of documents which the war turns loose on every branch of the War Office. Going down in the sub-basement, below the level of the Thames, one could see the bewildering vistas of documents, stretching for long distances but arranged with mathematical precision for instant reference as a government record.

One of the curious requirements growing out of the rush of war work is the need of a staff of "searchers" to look up lost documents. The "searchers" make their rounds early every morning. Very often in the pressure of many kinds of work, an important war record will get laid aside or covered up on some desk, and it is the business of the "searchers" to ferret out every lost record and get it back again in the regular channels.

Altogether this glimpse of the War Office and the passing exchanges with the many officials along the miles of offices, gave the impression of a perfectly regulated machine with the steam-gauge wide open and working under full pressure; and from end to end of this vast establishment, along with the sure and steady movement, was the spirit everywhere manifest and expressed among these war workers: "Let us do our part to win the war."

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Story of Northville, were in the city Monday, driving thru with a horse and rig.

SPORT CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK.

Tuesday.
Track—Championships of Middle Atlantic Assn., A. A. U., at Pittsburgh.
Boxing—Soldier Bartfield vs Art Magirl, 10 rounds, at Milwaukee.
Wednesday.
Swimming—Junior National in door tournament, 2 days, at Illinois A. C., Chicago.
Thursday.
Dog—Chicago Kennel Club show, 3 days, at Chicago.
Boxing—Benny Palmer vs Maurice Flynn, 10 rounds, at Minneapolis. Fred Fulton vs Carl Morris, 15 rounds, at Kansas City.
Friday.
Golf—Professional and amateur tournament at Pinehurst, N. C.
Gymnastics—Intercollegiate championships at Haverford, Pa.
Boxing—Eddie Moha vs Jack Torres, 15 rounds at Dayton, O. Art Magirl vs Kid Alberts, 10 rounds, at Minneapolis.
Saturday.
Horse—Thorobred race meet opens at Bowie, Md.
Track—St. Alphonsus Eight mile road race, at Boston.
Golf—United North and South championship, at Pinehurst, N. C.
Tennis—Annual tournament opens at Aiken, S. C.
Polo—Tournament at Del Monte Polo Club.
Boxing—Goats Doig vs Joe O'Brien, 10 rounds, at La Salle, Ill.

BROOKLYN DEFEATS ATHLETICS
Dayton, Fla., Mar. 27.—Cutshaw's triple in the seventh with the bases full won for Brooklyn today from the Philadelphia Athletics 6 to 4.
Score:
Philadelphia 4 7 2
Brooklyn 6 10 2
Nabors, Meyers and W. Meyers; Perkins; Cheney, Mains and J. Meyers.

PHILLIES DOWN CUBS.
Tampa, Fla., Mar. 27.—The Philadelphia Nationals today won their sixth straight game from the Chicago Nationals in the spring exhibition series. The score was 8 to 7. Hitting at opportune moments was responsible for the Phillies' victory. The Cubs presented a somewhat changed line-up.
Score:
Philadelphia 9 12 001 400—8
Chicago 030 001 021—7
Adams, Fortune and Fish; Hendrix, Bailey and Fischer.

REDS DOWN NEW ORLEANS.
New Orleans, La., Mar. 27.—Taking advantage of ragged pitching, the Cincinnati Nationals defeated New Orleans Southern Association team today, 7 to 3.

MONDAY IN CONGRESS.
Senate.
Met at noon.
Republicans conferred on Mexican situation.
Debate on Indian appropriation bill was resumed.
Senate army bill was reported as a substitute for the house bill.
Finance committee continued consideration of the free sugar repeal.
Thomas Taggart sworn in as senator from Indiana.
Adjourned at 5:30 p. m. to noon Tuesday.

Democratic senators held night caucus on free sugar repeal bill.
House.
Met at noon.
Military and naval affairs committees held hearings on national defense.
Debate on the immigration bill was continued and motion to strike out the literacy test was defeated.
Representative Copley introduced a resolution for an investigation of the news print paper situation.
Adjourned at 6:13 p. m. to 11 a. m., Tuesday.

TO BUILD WILLIAM PENN HIGHWAY.
Harrisburg, Pa., Mar. 27.—A meeting of prominent Pennsylvanians will be held here today to organize for the purpose of building the William Penn Highway from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh. Governor Brumbaugh is expected to speak in endorsement of the highway.

BIG FUR SALE IN NEW YORK.
New York, Mar. 27.—Two millions of dollars worth of furs and skins will be auctioned today and tomorrow at the Masonic Temple. The best furs that North America has produced this winter are on exhibition.

Ralph Reynolds, residing southeast of the city has returned from a trip to Colorado during which he visited Denver, Colorado Springs, Manitou and other points.

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He Removed the Danger Signal

Frank W. Sherman, Laconia, N. Y., writes: "I suffered with kidney trouble, had a tired feeling in my back, did not have any ambition and felt all tired out. I used Foley Kidney Pills and in a few days began to feel better, and now I have entirely recovered and have had no return of my painful symptoms. One cannot help becoming nervous and feeling tired and worn out when the kidneys fail to filter and throw out of the system the poisonous waste matter that causes kidney troubles and bladder ailments. Backache is one of Nature's danger signals that the kidneys are clogged up and inactive. It is often followed by rheumatism, annoying bladder or urinary disorders, puffy swellings under the eyes, swollen ankles and painful joints. Foley Kidney Pills get right at the source of trouble. They invigorate the kidneys to healthy action and when the kidneys properly perform their functions the poisonous waste matter is eliminated from the system."

To Avoid Dandruff

You do not want a slow treatment when hair is falling and the dandruff germ is killing the hair roots. Delay means no hair. Get, at any drug store, a bottle of Zemo for 25c or \$1.00 for extra large size. Use as directed, for it does the work quickly. It kills the dandruff germ, nourishes the hair roots and immediately stops itching scalp and itching head. It is not greasy, is easy to use and will not stain. Soaps and shampoos are harmful, as they contain alkali. The best thing to use is Zemo, for it is pure and also inexpensive. Zemo, Cleveland.

True Secret of Keeping Youthful Looking

(The Beauty Seeker.) "The real secret of keeping young-looking and beautiful," says a well-known hygienist, "is to keep the liver and bowels normally active. Without these requisites, poisonous waste products remain in the system, polluting the blood and lodging in various organs, tissues, joints. One becomes flabby, obese, nervous, mentally sluggish, dull-eyed, wrinkled and sallow of face. But to get liver and bowels working as they ought, without producing evil after-effects, has been the problem. Fortunately, there is a prescription of unquestioned merit, which may now be had in convenient tablet form. Its value is due largely to an ingredient derived from the humble May apple, or its root, which has been called 'vegetable calomel' because of its effectiveness—though, of course, it is not to be classed with the real calomel of mercurial origin. There is no harm in taking this harmless vegetable tablet to tend to impart tone and elasticity to the relaxed intestinal wall. Sentinal tablets, which may be procured from any druggist—a dime's worth will do—will prove a revelation to any constipated, liver-troubled person."

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NINETEEN POSTS WILL BE REPRESENTED AT STATE T.P.A. MEETING

Program Issued for Gathering which Will Be Held in Springfield in May—Gov. Dunne to Deliver Address of Welcome.

May 5th and 6th, the 27th annual convention of the State Travelers Protective Association will be held in Springfield. Headquarters will be at St. Nicholas Hotel. On the opening day of the convention all the delegates will be taken to the Illinois Watch factory for an inspection of the plant. The visitors will be given an automobile trip about the city.

Governor Dunne to Speak The business session will be held on Saturday morning, May 6, in representatives hall in the state house. Governor Edward F. Dunne will give the address of welcome.

The grand ball for the entertainment of the visitors will be held in the St. Nicholas hotel on Friday evening, May 5, from 9 to 12 o'clock. Preceding the ball, a concert will be given by the Temple Boys' choir and the Mendelssohn chorus under the direction of D. Spence Wiley.

The complete program for the event will be as follows:

Friday, May 5.

1:30 p.m.—Reception at the St. Nicholas hotel.

3:00 p.m.—All attending the convention will take cars to Fifth and Jefferson streets, to visit the Illinois Watch factory.

5:30 p.m.—Steering committee will meet in room no. 13 of the St. Nicholas hotel.

7:30 p.m.—Temple Boys' Choir and Mendelssohn Chorus will give a concert in the St. Nicholas hotel.

9:00 p.m.—Ball and grand march in the St. Nicholas hotel to be attended by all.

10:30 p.m.—Until midnight. Luncheon at the hotel.

Saturday, May 6.

9:00 a.m.—Automobile parade starting from St. Nicholas hotel and continuing thru the entire business district. Springfield residents will furnish the cars.

10:30 a.m.—Sight seeing trip in automobiles for women visitors attending the convention. All the sights of the city will be visited.

10:30 a.m.—Convention meeting begins in the representatives hall of the state house. J. E. Hubbell, president of Post D. T. P. A., of Springfield, will call the meeting to order. Invocation—The Rev. J. W. Johnson.

Address of welcome in behalf of the state—Governor E. F. Dunne.

Address of welcome in behalf of the city—Mayor Charles T. Baumann.

Address of welcome in behalf of Post D. T. P. A.—D. E. Ginnaven.

Response—H. B. Ramey, state president of the T. P. A.

Address—Homer Tice, member of the state legislature.

Annual business meeting, election of officers and selection of 1917 convention city. H. B. Ramey, state president, will preside.

1:30 p.m.—Card party for women at the St. Nicholas hotel.

Following the finish of the regular program, members will have a social hour.

Committees in Charge.

Officers of Post D. T. P. A. who will have general charge of the convention are J. E. Hubbell, president, and E. R. Kilbride, secretary-treasurer.

Committee chairmen named by them to supervise the program are:

Arrangements—J. F. Hubbell; finance, O. G. Miner, receipts, E. S. Jones; parade, F. P. Wilber; ball, J. H. Thomas; automobiles, J. C. Lorton; registration, T. J. Arbogast; cigars, Frank Alvey; hotel, J. H. McCreery; souvenirs, A. D. Fash; speakers, D. E. Ginnaven, and printing, R. T. Jefferson.

Heads of the committees of the Woman's Auxiliary to Post D. T. P. A. are:

General chairman, Mrs. E. R. Kilbride; reception, Mrs. F. H. Boone; ball, Mrs. Frank Alvey; sight seeing, Mrs. O. G. Miller; card party, Mrs. J. H. Thomas; and decorations, Mrs. L. A. Weaver.

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FOODS

THEY BUILD OR DESTROY
Amazing but Rarely Suspected Truths About the Things You Eat.

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CHAPTER 36.

The Rejected Food Minerals of Corn, Barley, Rye and Rice Have Been Built into a Mountain of Polly So Colossal in Its Menace to the Human Race That Statesmen May Well Tremble When They Behold Its Dimensions.

If we are to obtain an adequate conception of the gigantic scale on which the nation is now undermining its vitality we must look at a few extraordinary figures which are just as large and just as significant as the tabulations of disease and death with which they are so intimately related.

In the year 1915 there was produced in the United States the largest yield of wheat ever known in any country of the world—1,002,929,000 bushels. This wheat was worth \$932,888,999.

Of corn in the year 1915 the United States produced 3,090,509,000 bushels worth \$1,913,025,071, the most valuable crop ever grown.

The barley, rye and rice crops of 1915 in point of production established records.

The barley was worth \$118,577,682, the rye was worth \$37,861,403, the rice was worth \$22,313,350.

In addition there was a record buckwheat crop worth \$12,313,350.

Here surely, according to the statistics announced Nov. 8, 1915, by the Department of Agriculture, was reason for the celebration of a joyous Thanksgiving throughout the United States.

Yet, from all of this wheat, corn, barley, rye, rice and buckwheat, from all of these hundreds of thousands of tons of the breadstuffs of the nation, the phosphorus was removed, the potassium was removed, the iron was removed, the manganese was removed, three-quarters of all the mineral salts and colloids, all of the ferments, enzymes, and vitamins elaborated thru the bounty and benevolence of Mother Nature were removed.

Two per cent of the total weight of wheat consists of mineral salts. Rice contains less, oats more, corn nearly the same.

Let us see, therefore, what a tragedy has been enacted thru the washing, screening, sifting, and bleaching of our wheat; thru the brushing, scouring and polishing of our rice; thru the degerminating of our corn; thru the pearling of our barley; thru the thinning and extending of our buckwheat; thru the refining of our rye.

Let us take wheat alone as an index of the extent of the losses sustained by humanity thru the degerminating processes thru which all these grains are prepared for human consumption.

Each bushel of wheat produced in 1915 weighed 57.9 pounds, a total of more than 590,000,000,000 pounds, of which 2 per cent, or more

than five million tons, consisted of food minerals. Of these five million tons, three-fourths were completely lost in the refining process. Here with wheat alone, we witness the wanton destruction of nearly four million tons of the food elements most indispensable to the health of man, woman and child. We see the deliberate rejection of the keystone of the arch, yet when we add to this the rejected food minerals of our corn, barley, rye, rice and buckwheat we build up a mountain of folly so colossal in its menace to the human race that well, indeed, may statesmen tremble when they behold its dimensions.

Other nations have taken alarm as proof after proof of the ravages for which foodless foods are responsible have been disclosed.

In May, 1912, I received from the honorable secretary of the Bread and Food Reform League of England a record of the experiments conducted by Dr. Frederick Gowland Hopkins, Fellow of the Royal Society, reader in chemical physiology of the University of Cambridge.

Hopkins experimented with an 80 per cent whole wheat meal which, tho not containing all of the wheat, yet retained a much larger proportion of the bran and germ than does white flour.

Even with such semi-impoorished material the results of his investigation were so remarkable that they insured a belated agitation in behalf of whole wheat meal loaf or as it was called by the London Daily Mail, "household bread."

At the same time Dr. E. S. Eddie and Dr. G. C. Simpson, members of the research staff of the School of Tropical Medicine, University of Liverpool, carried on investigations in which the effects of refined flour and white bread upon children and adults were carefully studied in contrast with the effects of whole meal or whole wheat bread.

An extended research was also conducted by Dr. Benjamin Moore of the Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine, in which certain groups of pigeons were fed on bread made from fine white flour, while other groups of pigeons were fed on whole wheat bread.

The results of the efforts of these scientific investigators, which will be described later, afford further irrefutable evidence of the essential health-giving qualities of those parts of grain and cereal foods which are discarded in the milling of flour, polishing of rice, pearling of barley, refining of rye, and the degerminating of corn.

church will give a social sometime next week. The date will be given later.

LYNNVILLE.

Mrs. Vanstone, who lives east of Lynnville, had a paralytic stroke last week and is still very low.

J. O. Parker is the owner of an automobile.

Little Pearl Cronkhitte, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Cronkhitte, was reported sick Sunday.

Sunday school at 10 o'clock every Sunday morning at both churches. Everyone is invited to attend. Church service at 11. Morning subject at the Christian church, "Waiting for the Harvest." Evening subject, "The Tomorrow."

Mrs. Archie McKinney is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis VanWinkle of Franklin spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. VanWinkle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gibbs.

Preparations are being made for the social and program to be given by the Twentieth Century and Loyal Daughters' class of the Christian church Friday evening, March 31. The following program will be given in the church, after which supper will be served in the city hall:

Lynnville orchestra.

Recitation—Virginia Heaton.

Piano solo—Allene Switzer.

Recitation—Lois McNeely.

Piano solo—Miss Virginia Gordon.

Recitation—Lorena Watson.

Gordon quartet.

Orchestra.

Duet—Mrs. Cronkhitte and Miss Virginia Gordon.

Recitation—Ralph Heaton.

Solo—Hildreth Watson.

Recitation—Viola McNeely.

Cornet solo—Claude Jewsbury, with piano accompaniment, Miss Leila Harney.

Reading—Mrs. Maggie Heaton.

Piano duet—Misses Gertrude and Nettie Ramsey.

Dialogue—Mr. and Mrs. Cronkhitte and Edwin Gordon.

Orchestra.

Wiley Todd, who has had poor health for some time, is not much improved. Little Irene and Raymond, his children, are sick with symptoms of pneumonia.

Mrs. Will Parker is spending a few days at the home of her father, Mr. Barber, north of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Todd, who are in poor health, are not as well as usual.

The Boosters' class of the M. E.

NEW WEATHER SYSTEM IS TERMED FALLACIOUS

Chief of U. S. Weather Bureau Warns Public Against Long-Range Weather Forecasts.

Washington, D. C., March 25.—The chief of the U. S. Weather Bureau stated today that in the opinion of the bureau a new system of long-range weather forecasting, which has been widely discussed recently, was quite fallacious. The new system is said to be based on the spottedness of the sun and rifts and shafts of solar radiation. In the opinion of the weather bureau it belongs in the same class with other methods of long-range weather forecasting based on lunar, planetary, magnetic, and astrological considerations. None of these systems, it is said, has any scientific value.

During the past few years the Weather Bureau has received full specifications concerning all the essential details of this particular system. The alleged discovery is, therefore, fully known to the Weather Bureau and has been carefully studied and examined by its scientific staff. Moreover, other scientists of international reputation now connected with the strongest institutions of the world engaged in astronomical research, and conducting investigations into solar and terrestrial physics, have also passed upon these new theories. These authorities are in accord that the deductions and conclusions drawn from the solar conditions on which the new system is based are unwarranted.

When the disk of the sun is minutely examined with powerful telescopes, or when it is photographed with the aid of the modern spectroheliograph, the surface presents a characteristic spotted appearance which undergoes slight changes from day to day, and greater changes with longer intervals of time, depending upon the well-known rotation of the sun upon its axis and the periodic recurrence of the sunspot maxima and minima. These and certain well-known related phenomena are now put forward as the basis of a new science which will make possible forecasts of the weather far in advance. That these features of solar activity, however, actually should control and determine the daily changes and sequence of weather conditions in any definite or direct and consequential manner, is regarded by the Government scientists as quite impossible. Solar phenomena of the kind described do not have any direct influence upon the weather at any particular time and place, and can not be made the basis of any forecasts whatsoever.

The alleged discovery is regarded as only one of a number of similar schemes which are continually being put forward. In some cases the advocates of these schemes assert that they can forecast the weather for weeks or months in advance, and in others they state that they have found means of producing rain artificially, of preventing hail, and in other ways of interfering with and controlling atmospheric phenomena. These pretensions meet with a certain credence because there are a number of people who still cling to the ancient belief in the influence of the moon on the growth and development of crops, and to the idea that the weather conditions depend upon planetary and astrological combinations. In consequence the Weather Bureau has been called upon from time to time to caution the general public against putting faith in these so-called discoveries.

The U. S. Weather Bureau itself is the authorized agency of the Government to collect meteorological observations and make and issue weather forecasts and warnings. Every important nation of the world has a similar organization and all use essentially the same methods. All of these organizations condemn and disapprove the methods and theories of those who assert that they are able to predict the weather for any considerable period in advance.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Milton N. Lewis deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Milton N. Lewis late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House in Jacksonville, at the May term, on the first Monday in May, next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 13th day of March, A. D. 1916.
Leslie L. Lewis, Administrator.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Frances Braun deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Frances Braun late of the county of Morgan and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House in Jacksonville, at the May term, on the first Monday in May, next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All parties indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 13th day of March, A. D. 1916.
Edward S. Braun, Executor.

Mrs. Nellie Rohn and Mrs. William Rhea have returned to Beards-town after a visit with Mrs. Rhea's daughter, Mrs. W. F. Hoelscher and family of this city.

(Political Advertisement.)



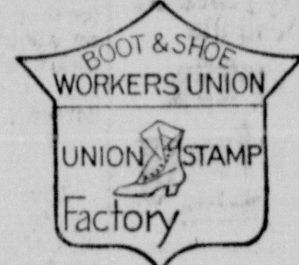
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EAST UNION.

Vern and Elmer Cooley and Austin McPherson and Howard Cardwell spent Sunday after noon with Roscoe and Lester Hawkins.

Wiley Goacher and wife spent Saturday after noon with Thos. Spencer and family.

Mrs. Henry Israel and children spent Thursday with Mrs. Geo. Jones.

Mrs. Nona Cooley and Amy Jones spent Sunday afternoon with Lou Hawkins.

Sunday was a rainy day but the interest in our Sunday school was good as there was forty-four in attendance.

Geo. Jones and wife spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Jesse Jones and family.

Lizzie and Lester Israel spent Monday morning with Mrs. Geo. Jones.

Elmer Cooley spent Saturday night in Roodhouse.

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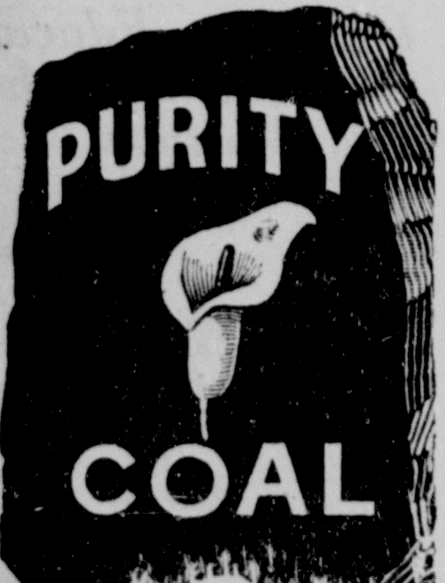
you must do something more
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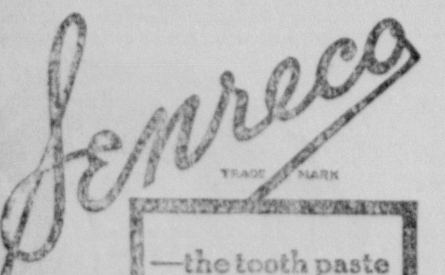
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APPAM CASE PROMISES INTERESTING DEVELOPMENTS

Intricate Points of International Law
Are Involved—Court Will Inter-
pret Prussian Treaty.

Washington, Mar. 27.—The libel
instituted by the British owners of
the liner Appam to recover the ship
from the German prize crew that
brought it into Hampton Roads, is
expected to bring an interesting con-
test into the federal courts, when
the case comes up this week at Rich-
mond, Va.

A prize court ruling is expected
by the state department officials, one
that will clear away many perplex-
ing features which have confronted
them in dealing with the Appam
case.

On their face, the libel papers indi-
cate that the suit so far is purely
a private one, and that neither the
British government nor the state de-
partment at least at this stage, has
any direct interest in it. The at-
torneys prosecuting the suit, how-
ever, are expected to develop fully
the position of the British govern-
ment in regard to the right of the
American government to allow its
ports to be made places of refuge
for prizes. Some exceedingly intri-
cate points of international law are
expected to be developed by the British
attorneys.

With Germany asking that, as a
prize, the Appam be allowed to re-
main indefinitely in American wa-
ters under the Prussian treaty of
1828, and Great Britain insisting that
the liner be restored to her owners
under the Hague convention of 1907,
department officials would welcome
a judgment by a competent tribu-
nal, not only for guidance in the pre-
sents case, but as a precedent for the
future.

In the absence of such a precedent,
the state department has held ten-
tatively that the Appam is a German
prize. But it has never passed for-
mally upon Germany's request that
the vessel be allowed to remain in-
definitely in American waters. Early
this month, the state department
rendered its decision, but this has
not been made public pending a de-
cision in the libel action. The court
will be allowed to make its own in-
terpretation of the Prussian treaty.

Federal Judge Edmund Waddill, of
the eastern district of Virginia, is-
sued the libel process on February
19, and the Appam was seized at
Newport News on the same day. Lieut.
Berg, in charge of the vessel for the
German government objected to the
seizure.

The papers in the action allege that
"the said steamship is wrongfully
withheld from the libelants by one
Hans Berg and other persons." They
further allege that the Appam "on
or about the 16th of January was
unlawfully seized by certain persons,
and thereafter under compulsion
forced to proceed with passengers,
crew and cargo, to Hampton Roads."

Miss Ella Walker, R. N., spent
Sunday at the home of her mother
in Carrollton. She was accompanied
as far as White Hall by her niece,
Miss Helen Walker, who made a
short visit here.

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Miscellaneous

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during the winter. Return to
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ward. 3-22-6t

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET.
St. Louis, March 27.—Wheat—No.
2 red 1.17; No. 3 red 1.06@1.14;
No. 4 red 85@1.04; No. 3 hard win-
ter 1.04@1.06.

Corn—No. 2 72; No. 3 69; No.
4 68; No. 2 white 72; No. 3 white
70@70; No. 4 white 67@68; No. 3
yellow 72@72; No. 4 yellow 69
@69.

Oats—No. 2 40; No. 3 39@41;
No. 4 37; No. 4 white 40@41.

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BULLISH CROP REPORTS AID WHEAT IN SCORING ADVANCE

Market Closes Firm at 1 1/2 to 1 3/4
Cents Net Higher—Corn and Oats
Score Gains.

Chicago, March 27.—Wheat
scored a substantial advance in price
today, helped by denials that any
American lives had been lost on the
Sussex and by bullish crop reports,
as well as by an unexpectedly large
decrease in the United States visible
supply total. The market closed
firm, 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 net higher, with
May at \$1.09 and July at 1.07.
Corn gained 5c to 5 1/2c and oats
3c to 1c. In provisions the outcome
ranged from 2 1/2 decline to a rise
of 5c.

Seaboard demand for shipments
of wheat was considerably more in
evidence today than has recently
been the case. Sales of round
amounts to go to Atlantic ports were
announced as having been made here
and at Omaha and Minneapolis. The
falling off in the United States vis-
ible supply total was more than two
and one-half times as large as for
the corresponding time last year.
Stormy weather gave most of the
firmness to corn, as the natural re-
sult of prevailing conditions ap-
peared to be a serious interference
with the movement of the crop.
Shipping demand was perceptibly
better. Oats were governed in the
main by sympathy with other grain.
Trade was light.

Advanced prices on hogs made
provisions average a little higher.
In lard and ribs, however, some of
last week's chief buyers were among
the leading sellers today.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE.
(Published by J. E. Bennett Co.)

Open High Low Close
Wheat—
May \$1.08 \$1.10 \$1.07 \$1.09
July 1.06 1.07 1.05 1.07
Sept. 1.04 1.06 1.04 1.06
Corn—
May .72 .73 .72 .73
July .73 .74 .73 .74
Sept. .73 .74 .73 .74
Oats—
May .42 .43 .42 .43
July .41 .42 .41 .42
Sept. .39 .40 .38 .40
Pork—
May 22.90 23.02 22.87 22.95
July 22.75 22.90 22.75 22.82
Lard—
May 11.57 11.57 11.50 11.50
July 11.80 11.80 11.72 11.75
Ribs—
May 12.07 12.07 12.05 12.07
July 12.27 12.27 12.22 12.27

Saturday's close—Wheat: May
1.08; July 1.04; Sept. 1.04.
Corn: May 72; July 74; Sept. 73.
Oats: May 42; July 41; Sept. 39.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.
Chicago, March 27.—Wheat—No.
2 red 1.12; No. 3 red 1.04;
No. 2 hard winter 1.09; No. 3
hard winter 1.05@1.08; No. 1
northern spring 1.15@1.17; No. 2
northern spring 1.14@1.15; No. 3
northern spring 1.08@1.08 1/2.

Corn—No. 2 yellow 76; No. 3 yellow
70; No. 4 yellow 68@68 1/2; No. 5
yellow 66@67.

Oats—No. 3 white 41@42; No. 4
white 38@40.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.
New York, March 27.—Butter—
Creamery (extras (92 score) 36 1/2;
36 1/2; creamery (higher scoring) 37
@37 1/2; firsts 35 1/2@36; seconds 33 1/2
@35.

Eggs—Market firm. Fresh gath-
ered extras 22 1/2@23; extra firsts
21 1/2@22; firsts 21@21 1/2; seconds
20@20 1/2; nearby henery whites, fine
to fancy, 23 1/2@24; nearby henery
browns 22 1/2@23.

Cheese—Market steady. State
held, specials, 18 1/2@18 1/2; do average
fancy 18 1/2@18 1/2; current make,
average run, 17@17 1/2; Wisconsin
twins, held, 18@18 1/2.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.
Minneapolis, March 27.—Wheat
higher. Corn and oats unchanged.
Wheat cash—No. 1 hard 1.17; No.
1 northern 1.12@1.13; to arrive
1.13@1.14; No. 2 northern 1.09@
@1.12; No. 3 wheat 1.05@1.09.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.
New York, March 27.—Merchan-
tile paper, 3@3 1/2.
Bar silver, 59c.
Mexican dollars, 46c.
Time loans, steady; 2 1/2@3.
Call money, steady; high 2; low
1 1/2, closing bid 1 1/2.

HOME MARKETS.
Spring Chickens 15
Chickens, old 12
Butter 30
Eggs 17
Lard 13 1/2
Bacon 13 1/2
Turkeys 40
Potatoes 1.00
Beets 40
Cabbage, do 40
Apples 60
Commission Men Pay:
Poultry Prices.

Spring chickens 12c
Hens, light 19c
Hens, heavy 12c
Roosters 5@6
Stags 10c
Ducks 10c
Old Geese 8c
Turkey hens 14-15
Turkey toms 10-11
Guinea 20c
Fresh eggs, candled 16c
Beef Hides 15c
Packing Stock Butter 17c

The Jacksonville Creamery Co.,
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Hay and Grain.
Timothy hay, per bale 60c
Timothy hay, per ton \$14.00
Clover hay, per bale 50c
Clover hay, per ton \$14.00
Alfalfa hay, per bale 50c
Alfalfa hay, per ton \$18.00
Oats straw 35c
Oats, per bushel 55c
Bran, per cwt \$1.15
Cracked corn, old, per cwt \$1.65
Coarse corn meal \$1.65
Corn 75c

STOCKS STRENGTHEN IN FINAL HOUR WHEN RAIL ISSUES ADVANCE

Fears of Grave International Crisis
Constitute One of Disadvantages
Under Which Market Labored.

New York, March 27.—Fears of
another grave international crisis,
resulting from the active renewals
of submarine warfare in European
waters, disconcerting reports regard-
ing the progress of events in Mexico,
and the possibility of a nation-wide
railroad strike, constituted the chief
disadvantages under which today's
sluggish and professional market
labored. Prices of important stocks
yielded 1 to 3 points in the forenoon
and some specialties suffered greater
losses. The list strengthened in the
dull final hour when rails, notably
Western Maryland issues, Reading,
New York Central and other stocks
rose appreciably on moderate de-
mand.

Mexican Petroleum, United States
Industrial Alcohol, Crucible Steel,
Baldwin Locomotive and Sugars
helped to sustain the market at its
irregular close, likewise United
States Steel and Mercantile Marine
preferred. Total sales of stocks
amounted to 535,000 shares.

Moderate purchases of the int-
national list were reported for ac-
count of London, but the inquiry from
that source was offset by selling of Dutch
interests which may have represented
German holdings. Foreign exchange
to London and principal continental
points showed no material change
from last week's closing rates.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.
(Last Sale.)

Allis-Chalmers 29
American Beet Sugar 73
American Can 61 1/2
American Car and Foundry 68 1/2
American Locomotive 73 1/2
American Smelt. and Refining 100 1/2
American Sugar Refining 110 1/2
American Tel. and Tel. 130 1/2
Ancon Copper 8 1/2
Aldrich 103 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive 105 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio 88 1/2
Bethlehem Steel 46 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 8 1/2
Butte and Superior 89 1/2
California Petroleum 22 1/2
Canadian Pacific 163 1/2
Central Leather 52 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio 63 1/2
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 94
Chicago, R. I. and Pacific Ry. 17 1/2
Chino Copper 52 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron 45 1/2
Cotton Products 20 1/2
Crucible Steel 87 1/2
Denver and Rio Grande pfd. 168
Erie 37 1/2
General Electric 166 1/2
Goodrich Co. 75 1/2
Great Northern Ore Cfts 44
Great Northern pfd 121 1/2
Illinois Central 102 1/2
Interborough Consol. Corp. 16 1/2
Inter. Harvester, N. J. 110 1/2
Inter. Merc. Mar. pfd. stfs. 71 1/2
Lackawanna Steel 76 1/2
Lehigh Valley 77 1/2
Louisville and Nashville 125
Maxwell Motor Co. 71 1/2
Mexican Petroleum 107 1/2
Miami Copper 36 1/2
Missouri, Kansas and Texas pfd 10 1/2
Missouri Pacific 44
National Lead 66 1/2
New York Central 105 1/2
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford 65 1/2
Norfolk and Western 12 1/2
Northern Pacific 113 1/2
Pennsylvania 56 1/2
Ray Consolidated Copper 23 1/2
Reading 87
Republic Iron and Steel 51 1/2
Southern Pacific 98 1/2
Southern Railway 20 1/2
Studebaker Co. 142
Texas Co. 195
Tennessee Copper 52 1/2
Union Pacific 133 1/2
United States Rubber 52
United States Steel 84 1/2
United States Steel pfd 117
Utah Copper 81
Wabash pfd 28 1/2
Western Union 90
Westinghouse Electric 65 1/2
Kennebec Copper 55 1/2
Inspiration Copper 47 1/2

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(General.)

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U. S. ref. 2s, coupon 99 1/2
U. S. 3s, registered 102 1/2
U. S. 3s, coupon 102 1/2
U. S. 4s, registered 111
U. S. 4s, coupon 111 1/2
Panama 3s, coupon 103

KANSAS CITY GRAIN MARKET.
Kansas City, March 27.—Wheat—
No. 2 hard 1.03@1.10; No. 2 red
1.05@1.10.

Corn—No. 2 mixed 66 1/2@67; No.
2 white 66@66 1/2; No. 2 yellow 66 1/2;
Oats—No. 2 white 43 1/2@46; No.
2 mixed 40@42.

Rye—83@84.
Hay—Market steady.

NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET.
New York, March 27.—Wheat—
Spot firm; No. 1 Durum 1.26; No.
2 hard 1.23; No. 1 Northern Du-
luth 1.33; No. 1 Northern Mani-
toba 1.37 1/2 f. o. b. New York. Fu-
tures firm; May 1.17.

Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 yellow
84 1/2 c. l. f. New York.
Oats—Spot firm; standard 49 1/2;
No. 3 white 48 1/2@48 1/2.

TOLEDO CLOVER SEED MARKET.
Toledo, March 27.—Clover seed—
Prime cash 11.50; March 11.40;
April 9.60; October 8.55.
Alsike—Prime cash and March
9.40.
Timothy—Prime cash and March
3.50; April 3.45.

PEORIA GRAIN MARKET.
Peoria, Ill., March 27.—Corn—
Market higher. No. 4 white 67 1/2;
No. 3 yellow 70 1/2@70 1/2; No. 4 yellow
69 1/2; No. 3 mixed 69; No. 4 mixed
66 1/2@67; sample 35@60 1/2.

Oats—Market unchanged. No. 3
white 41 1/2@41 1/2.

NEW YORK COFFEE MARKET.
New York, March 27.—Spot cof-
fee—Market steady. Rio 7s, 9 1/2;
Santos 4s, 10 1/2.

SCARCITY OF ARRIVALS BRINGS ADVANCE IN HOG VALUES

Cattle Offerings Do Not Appear
Over Plentiful and Neither Does
Supply of Sheep and Lambs.

Chicago, March 27.—Hogs rose in
value today on account of receipts
being less numerous than were ex-
pected. Cattle offerings did not ap-
pear over plentiful and neither did
the supply of sheep and lambs.

Chicago Livestock Market.
Hogs—Receipts 35,000. Market
strong. Market 5c to 10c higher.
Bulk 9.80@9.95; light 9.50@10.10;
mixed 9.65@10.00; heavy 9.55@
9.95; rough 9.55@9.70; pigs 7.50
@8.65.

Cattle—Receipts 16,000. Market
weak. Native beef cattle 7.75@
10.05; western steers 7.70@8.75;
stockers and feeders 6.00@8.25;
cows and heifers 4.25@9.00; calves
7.70@10.25.

St. Louis Livestock Market.
Hogs—Receipts 10,900. Market
10c higher. Pigs and lights 7.25@
9.85; mixed and butchers 8.75@
10.00; good heavy 9.90@10.00.

Cattle—Receipts 3,800. Market
steady. Native beef steers 7.50@
9.40; yearling steers and heifers
7.40@9.50; cows 5.50@8.50; stock-
ers and feeders 5.85@8.00.

Sheep—Receipts 250. Market
steady. Yearling wethers 8.00@
10.40; lambs 9.00@11.70; ewes
6.50@8.50.

Kansas City Livestock Market.
Hogs—Receipts 7,000. Market
higher. Bulk 9.35@9.70; heavy
9.60@9.75; light 9.35@9.65; pigs
8.25@9.00.

Cattle—Receipts 10,000. Market
steady. Steers 7.75@9.75; cows
5.00@8.25; heifers 7.00@9.75;
calves 6.50@11.00.

Sheep—Receipts 7,000. Market
steady. Lambs 10.85@11.60; year-
lings 9.50@10.50; wethers 8.25@
9.00; ewes 7.75@8.50.

Omaha Livestock Market.
Hogs—Receipts 10,500. Market
higher. Heavy 9.40@9.60; light
9.25@9.55; pigs 7.50@8.70; bulk
9.35@9.55.

Cattle—Receipts 7,000. Market
steady. Steers 7.50@9.50; cows
and heifers 6.50@8.00.

Sheep—Receipts 6,700. Market
higher. Yearlings 9.00@10.25;
wethers 7.75@8.75; lambs 10.60@
11.75.

NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET.
New York, March 27.—Raw sugar
—Market firm. Centrifugal 57 1/2;
molasses 49 1/2; refined firm; cut loaf
80 1/2; crushed 79 1/2; mould A and
cubes 74 1/2; XXXX powdered 70 1/2;
powdered 70 1/2; fine granulated and
diamond A 69 1/2; No. 1 67 1/2; con-
fectioners A 69 1/2.

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LIABILITY INSURANCE CONSIDERED BY COUNCIL

(Continued from page seven.)

was made too of the fact that under the law of this state if a city or contractor has not sent notice to the state department of unwillingness to come under the liability act, that the law automatically goes into effect as related to them. Under the policy which the city will probably take out there will be protection from liability for all employees, and if they are transferred from one department to the other, protection will still apply.

The city has had two cases within recent months where it was possible to collect damages. Earl Lewis, who while in the employ of the city at work at the LaCrosse Lumber yard was crushed with a pile of lumber falling upon him. In the more recent case Roland Stice had his hand cut off in machinery at the north side station. Under the law he is entitled to \$200 for hospital and doctor's bills and a weekly cash payment for a period of fifty weeks amounting to about \$1,300.

Mr. Bates of the Railway & Light company said that he was attending the session in the absence of Mr. Miser, who was in St. Louis. Mayor Rodgers mentioned that the council would be very greatly disappointed if it was found that the company does not withdraw the objections made to the proposed paving of West State street. Mr. Bates said that the pipe has been received for a new gas main which is to run west on Anna street, north on Fayette street to State street and that when this is laid much better pressure can be furnished for the people in the west part of the city. Mr. Miser has previously stated that this pipe was purchased to lay at the time West State street was paved and has stated further that the rail and ties have been purchased for relaying of the railway.

Mayor Rodgers mentioned that Mrs. Thomas Worthington had offered to turn over to the city acreage property on Edgemoor road near Diamond street to be used as a playground if the city will simply pay the yearly taxes. As it is, boys, frequent congregations there for baseball and other sports and it occurred to Mrs. Worthington that the property could be utilized to good advantage for a playground and that it might prove attractive to a great many boys and girls in that neighborhood. The mayor said that he felt very favorable to the proposition, that before the property was offered that several persons had expressed the wish for a playground in that portion of the city.

A LETTER FROM WM. S. JAYNE

The following letter has been received by C. A. Gustafson, secretary of the Phi Alpha society of Illinois college.

C. A. Gustafson,
Secretary, Phi Alpha Society,
Jacksonville, Ill.

My Dear Sir:

The family of Dr. Jayne are profoundly grateful to your society and to Illinois college for the many acts of kindness during the past week. We desire to thank you and through you the president and officials of the college and the committee attending the services.

We want you all to know that on his last conscious night the thoughts of the first president of the society reverted to his life in Jacksonville and his talk during the night was constantly of the Phi Alpha and Illinois college days.

Thank you for the copy of your very affectionate resolutions.

Yours very respectfully,
Wm. S. Jayne.

DETECTIVES TRAILED

WRONG WOMAN.

Minneapolis, Minn., Mar. 27.—The hearing on the suit brought by Arthur Lillgren against a detective agency in this city for damages will be heard today. Lillgren alleges that detectives engaged to trail his wife had furnished him with false information, and he is seeking damages for \$25,000. He claims the sleuths trailed the wrong woman and that when he confronted his wife with the information which they furnished him, she left him. District Judge Daniel Fish has held that the detective agency is responsible merely for the fee given it and cannot be held accountable for the use to which Lillgren put the information.

NOTICE.

Sealed bids are hereby asked by the city council for supplying the city with one street flusher. Specifications are now on file in this office. Bids must be accompanied by certified checks for one-tenth of the amount of the bid. The council reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids will be received up to 10 a. m., April 3, 1916.

R. L. Bryant, City Clerk.

A BAD ACCIDENT.

Carter Clark employed at the store of Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie had a bad accident yesterday with his automobile. He took off the gasoline tank to clean it and after emptying it washed it out with water and thinking it was free from fumes put a lighted candle into it to investigate when the vapor in the tank exploded badly burning the young man about his face and eyes. He will probably not lose the sight of either eye but the injury is very painful.

LAND O'NOD STORIES

The Paper Makers

Billy Be By Bo Bum walked around and around the big gray dome that occupied the center of the main chamber in the ants' underground city in the hope of discovering how it was constructed. You remember that the inside of the dome looked for all the world like a bee hive with the rooms arranged like the cells of a honey comb, and Billy could not understand it at all at all.

"What kind of building material did the ants use in building this big nursery?" he asked at length.

"Paper," replied Tinker Teedle.

"Paper? Who under the sun ever heard of building a house of paper, and anyway, where would the ants get any paper?"

"Well, Billy Boy, the bees and wasps find paper makes a very snug and safe nest, so why should it serve the ants equally well," the merry little elf replied. "And they do not have any trouble in getting building paper, for they make it themselves."

"I know wasps make their own paper, but I don't see how ants can do it," Billy objected.

"Were you ever thru a paper mill?" Tinker asked.

"Yes, and I saw the whole process from the time the raw material entered the mill until it came out finished as a sheet of writing paper. They took the trunks of trees and ground them up fine into a pulp which was dumped in big vats where it was treated with some kind of acid. Then this pulp was passed thru heavy rollers which pressed it out into thin sheets. When it dried it was paper," and Billy puffed out his chest and looked very wise, for he was rather proud of knowing so much.

"Good. I see you learned something by your trip thru the mill," said Tinker, nodding his head approvingly. "And the ants make their building paper in much the same manner as you have described."

"But Tinker, the ants haven't any paper mill," objected Billy. "Neither have they any machinery with which to do the work."

"There's where you are wrong, for they have about as perfect paper making machines as you could wish to see."

"Where did they get them?" demanded Billy.

"From old Mother Nature," the elf replied. "And if you will step into the adjoining room I will show you a group of paper makers hard at work."

So Tinker led the way down a dark passage to another big cave, and here Billy saw several hundred ants swarming over a great pile of leaves, the parasites the foragers had cut from the boughs of the oak that grew overhead.

"Why these fellows are eating the leaves and I thought you said they were making paper," grumbled Billy.

"They are doing both," explained the elf. "They are manufacturing a lot of building material and getting a good meal at the same time. You see, Billy Boy, their powerful jaws make an ideal paper machine. They grind the leaves to pulp between their teeth, extracting all the nourishing juice, which is their principal food. The tough fiber left after the juice is pressed out mixes with the saliva in the ants' mouths, and this answers the same purpose as treating the wood pulp with acids, as you saw it done in the vats. When the leaf pulp is thoroughly mixed with saliva, the ants take it to where a troop of masons are building a new nursery and add their mouthful of wet paper to the walls. Then the masons tramp it down and smooth it off, and when the wall dries it is a solid sheet of paper."

"Well, sir, this certainly beats me," said Billy. "Every time I turn around I see the ants performing some new wonder. I expect I will find them writing books before I get back home."

"That's one thing they haven't learned yet," laughed Tinker. "But speaking of home, it is beginning to get late and I think we had better be going that way."

As Billy was now rather tired he offered no objection, and they retraced their steps to the top of the hill. Tinker spread his magic rug on the ground, repeated the mysterious charm, and they went sailing off thru the air like a bullet shot from a rifle. Almost before Billy had settled himself comfortably for the journey, the rug came to earth again on the plain surrounding the city they had first visited.

"Here were are back home safe and sound," said the elf as he folded up his rug and put it in his pocket. "And here are our friends waiting to welcome us."

Sure enough the Queen, surrounded by her bodyguard, as usual, was standing near the gate, for Tinker had told her they would stop in to see her again on their return from Texas.

"Did you enjoy your trip Billy Be By Bo Bum?" asked the Queen.

"I certainly did," replied Billy.

"It would take me half the night to tell you all the wonderful things I saw. But to tell the truth I enjoyed my visit with you more than my trip to Texas."

"That is very kind of you to say that and it has been a pleasure for me to entertain you. But it is getting late and I must be getting to bed."

And next week I will tell you about the Carpenter ants.

ALEXANDER

Mrs. W. H. Hinrichsen and granddaughter, Louise Hinrichsen, were visitors in Jacksonville Monday.

Donald Walsen of Quincy has taken a place on the farm of Luther Wiley.

Miss Lucinda Todd of Buffalo, N. Y. is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Fred B. Six.

Mrs. Arthur Rowland and children, southeast of Franklin are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ewen.

Miss Annie Hinrichsen returned to Springfield Sunday after spending several days with her mother in Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Wiley were in New Berlin Sunday, guests of Mr. Wiley's father, Dr. Wiley.

Mrs. Leland S. Griffin arrived Monday from McNabb for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Cullen. She expects to go soon to Amboy, Putnam county, to join her husband, recently appointed county advisor.

John Snyder was a visitor Sunday in Jacksonville.

The Willing Workers of Alexander M. E. church are preparing a parcel post sale and cafeteria supper to be given Thursday evening in the church parlors.

Mrs. George Snyder, Sr., daughter Miss Elizabeth Snyder, and granddaughter, Mabel Snyder, were guests Sunday at the home of Mrs. Elsie Lawson, daughter of Mrs. Snyder, near Jacksonville.

Daniel Sullivan, taken ill while on a visit of his farm east of town, has returned to his home in Bloomington. He was accompanied by Dr. J. L. Crocker of Pontiac, a family physician.

NAVY LEAGUE IS BUSY AGAIN

Washington, Mar. 27.—That not even the best informed naval and military experts of the country know just what constitutes adequate preparedness is the belief of the leaders of the navy league of the United States, which opens another national meeting here today. The league maintains that no one branch of the government is capable of making estimates for national defense, and it will advocate at the present convention that a board composed of experts on all the subjects involved should be appointed by the President and made permanent by act of congress.

"When our national defense policies have been defined so that we may know which nations, if any, are most likely to become our enemies, then, and not till then it is feasible as well as necessary to determine what strategies the nation should possess for establishing and maintaining these policies, since our existence as independent members of the society of nations depends upon their maintenance," says the announcement of the league. "By strategies is meant not only military and naval forces, but our national resources of diplomacy, commerce, industry and production."

JACKSONVILLE TIME TABLE.

Chicago & Alton.	
North Bound—	
Chicago-Peoria Accom. thru to Chicago	6:20 am
Peoria-Bloomington Acc.	6:00 pm
From St. Louis	11:50 am
Chicago "Red Hummer"	11:52 am
No. 30, St. Louis train, arrives	8:50 pm
South and West Bound—	
Alton-Nightingale to Kansas City	3:28 am
St. Louis Accom. daily	6:05 am
Kansas City-St. Louis local	10:13 am
St. Louis-Mexico Accom.	3:30 pm
Kansas City Express	8:28 pm
Wabash.	
East Bound—	
No. 72 local frgt. ex. Sun.	11:20 am
No. 12	9:45 pm
No. 52, daily	6:25 pm
No. 28, daily	1:53 am
No. 4, daily	8:30 am
No. trains stop at Junction.	
West Bound—	
No. 9, daily	2:50 pm
No. 73, loc. frgt. ex. Sun.	2:25 pm
No. 3, daily	7:15 am
No. 15, daily	6:15 pm
No. 63, Hannibal Accom.	10:05 am
C. P. & St. L.	
North Bound—	
No. 36, daily	7:49 am
No. 35, returns	11:21 a.m.
No. 38, leaves	3:09 pm
No. 37, arrives	7:26 pm
Burlington Route.	
North Bound—	
No. 47, daily, ex-Sunday	11:20 am
No. 11, daily, ex-Sunday	4:30 pm
South Bound—	
No. 12, daily, ex-Sunday	6:55 am



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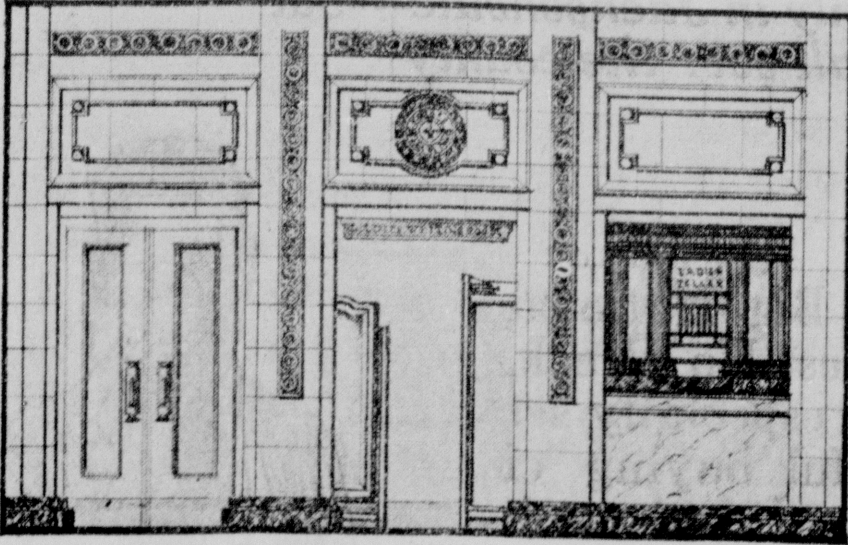
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MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD
SUNDAY FOR CORDELIA BANCROFT

Many Friends of the Family Gathered at Westminster Church Where Words of Comfort Were Spoken by Minister.

When the dark mysteries of this world are illumined in the shining light of that other world there will come an understanding of the going of little Cordelia Louise Bancroft, was the message which ministers gave to sorrowing friends and relatives when they gathered for a memorial service Sunday afternoon. Since the friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bancroft could not enter at the home, it was fitting, indeed, that the beautiful service should be held at the nearby church.

Rev. E. B. Landis, pastor of Westminster church, read a passage from the fifteenth chapter of Second Samuel and still other words of promise from the eighteenth chapter of Matthew. Then he offered a prayer. Brief remarks were made by Dr. A. B. Morey and Dr. R. O. Post, both of whom have been on terms of intimacy with the sorrowing parents and who had thus come in touch with the little girl whose sudden going had brought a common grief to so many hearts. It was revealed that the words spoken at the service that little Cordelia Bancroft had a spiritual vision rare in childhood, and with thoughts beyond her years had reached out into the beyond in a way which now seems prophetic.

Dr. Morey said in part: "God brings trouble too his children instead of sending it in order that he may be with us. He has promised not to leave us comfortless and the promise has been fulfilled. There is no other place so nearly like heaven as the Christian home. That home with a mother who is training the little feet to walk in the right paths is the gate way to heaven. It is a great thing to be a ruler, a governor, a general, a president, but no ruler is to be compared to the mother, engraving the image of God, upon the soul of her child."

"Yet this mysterious affliction has come to this home and to us. The Bible calls such a happening as this a cloud and the clouds are the dwelling place of God—he lives in them. David said, 'The clouds drop down dew that refreshes us and gives us strength,' and the clouds furnish the open spring of refreshment and hide the light only for a little time. We all of us prayed that this little life might be spared and there came only bitter disappointment; the answer was in the clouds. She was an unusual child, precocious in her ways, inexpressibly sweet in her manner and characteristics, and we can think of her in heaven as seeing and doing the things that she thought of here."

"I remember well just a short time ago in passing the house I saw her playing in the yard and I said: 'You were in Sunday school yesterday, weren't you? What did they talk about?' Quickly her reply came, 'They talked about heaven,' and she said, 'Wouldn't you like to be in heaven?' and now she has gone there."

"The very choicest traits of character come from tears and we know that sweetness and sympathy are the fruits of the holy spirit. We do not term them flowers of the spirit for flowers require sunlight and the best things of life require the shadow. Sometimes we sin; that we will know each other when the mists have rolled away but in reality we do not know each other until we meet in the mist in the clouds. In the greatest sorrows we find our greatest loves. Wealth and luxury divide families and sorrow gathers them together. David was able to look back and say: 'It was good for me that I was afflicted' and so may we look back."

"This sorrow has fallen heavily upon us but we do not know God fully until the dark hour comes and then the real face of Christ is revealed to us. We have faith to believe that some time, somewhere, we will see the good, the divine purpose in this sorrow, and let us all endeavor to so receive it."

Dr. R. O. Post also spoke briefly in part as follows: "Dear friends, God knows that I know the sorrow of this hour, the poignancy of the grief that has come to the hearts of our dear brother and sister in the home adjoining, yet I have two thoughts for the afternoon. If there is a dark cloud, that cloud has a silver lining, and it is radiant and lovely. The instinctiveness of the child's faith is wonderful for us to consider. Jesus took a little child and sat him in the midst and said, 'unless ye become as a little child ye shall not enter the kingdom of heaven.' You may think that the Master lowered the standard of the kingdom but in truth these words take us back to the deepest, truest, most sincere thoughts that man can hold."

"You see the little girl, she holds her dolly close, you hear sweet words of truth, the dearer to you the older you are. And those words come nearer the truth, the real great heart of the world than all the words spoken afterward. As the instinct of the mother then develops, so the woman becomes great and good, and just as the world detracts from those instincts so she becomes the weaker and the less gentle. Heaven lies around us very close, very near, in our childhood. The boy with his wooden sword says proudly, 'I am Sir Galahad. I will go forth to protect and to aid, to be a help to those who are in need.'"

"If those instincts of childhood can be retained in the battle with the world, the lad grows into a man who is a help to those about him, a leader for better living, a leader in adjusting the difficulties in our world which need adjustment. Jesus Christ as he pointed to childhood taught the fundamental truths and we need all of us to get back to childhood."

"This little child played with heaven—a primal instinct. To her heaven was not far away, but you, as you have grown older, have not felt that heaven lies about you. The child talked continually of heaven and said she wanted to go there and to take her father and mother. When a year or so ago the dear aunt with whom the child had often been associated was taken, Cordelia talked of the dear one frequently and prayed that the aunt might come back for her Christmas. These children live nearer to the heart of God than many of us are living, and so we can say today that this dear little one has gone to the Aunt Em she loved so much."

"We in our maturer wisdom have gone away from truth, and we need to have truth take us back to fundamental things. We need to remember that heaven is not a place in the by and bye, but that the beauty of heaven is shining upon earth. This little child, so fair in form and feature, so delightful in characteristics, so heavenly in her thoughts, do you think she is any less fair above, in God's garden of flowers? It is a beautiful thought that we should let dominate our lives even after the childish days have passed, that thought of heaven, that it is so near, so true and possible."

"I can always remember Cordelia as she stood upon the back seat of the church just two weeks ago and looked over the pews at the pulpit, and wonder was written upon her face, along with childish reverence. To her it was the house of God and the gateway to heaven. Oh, let her beautiful life on earth, more beautiful in heaven, sweeten all our coming days on earth. Cordelia will not come back, but her parents can say as David said of his son, 'We will go to her.' She will be there, ever drawing them and us heavenward."

When the ministers had closed their remarks Mr. John L. Johnson sang a song beautiful in its simplicity, "Jesus Loves Me," the childish hymn heard in almost every Sunday school and having in it an appeal that delights young hearts and touches those more mature. The church service ended, as the friends stood upon the sidewalk, Dr. Morey and Dr. Post, stationed upon the porch, offered prayer and then the cortege moved to Diamond Grove cemetery. When the committal service had been said the casket was left in the little grave, beautified with flowers. The bearers were Dr. A. M. King, Harrison King, C. A. Johnson and Richard C. Reynolds. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Thomas Worthington, Mrs. C. A. Johnson, Mrs. James G. Capps and Miss Bess Smith.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bancroft who had been prevented because of the circumstances surrounding the death from seeing them have sent messages of condolence and sympathy thru the mail. One such letter from a friend included the following lines which have brought special comfort and cheer to the grief-burdened parents:

From the Other Side of the Gates of Pearl.

"Oh, what do you think the angels say?"
Said the children up in heaven.
"There's a dear little girl coming home today."

She is almost ready to fly away
From the earth we used to live in.
Come, let us watch at the gates of pearl
And be ready to welcome the dear little girl."

"God wanted her here where his little ones meet."
Said the children up in heaven;
"She shall play with us in the golden street;
She had grown too fair and pure and sweet."

For the earth she used to live in.
She shined for the sunshine, this dear little girl.
That glides one side of the gates of pearl."

Said the children up in heaven.
"So the King called down from the angels' dome,"

Said the children up in heaven;
"My little darling, arise and come to thy prepared place in the Father's home."
The home that my children live in."

So come, let us watch at the gates of pearl.
For Jesus has called her, the dear little girl."

Said the children up in heaven.
"Far down on the earth do you hear them weep?"

Said the children up in heaven.
"For the dear little girl has gone to sleep."

The shadows fall, and the night clouds sweep
O'er the earth we used to live in.
But up here there is joy at the gates of pearl."

Oh! why do they weep for their glad little girl?"
Said the children up in heaven.

"Fly with her quickly, O angels dear!"
Said the children up in heaven.

"See, she is coming. Look there! Look there!"

At the Jasper light on her sunny hair
Where the veiling clouds are riven!
Oh, hush, hush, hush! All the swift wings fur!

For the King himself at the gates of pearl
Is taking her hand, dear, tired little girl.
And leading her into heaven."

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Further Particulars Received of
Death of Former Jacksonville Man
Who Met Death at Keokuk.

J. D. Pike and William A. Pike of this city have returned from Keokuk, Iowa, where they were called by the death of Albert Pike, who was killed by a train in that city last Thursday. C. R. Pike of Mt. Sterling also was in attendance at the funeral.

From accounts of the death of Mr. Pike his body was mangled in a horrible manner. The head and upper part of the body was cut off and dragged for a distance of probably fifty feet. The remainder of the body was literally ground to pieces. The head was badly cut but was the only part of the remains that was recognizable.

The deceased was in the employ of the Power company in Keokuk. He had been in their employ for several months and was highly esteemed by the company, having recently received an increase in salary as a mark of the value of his services.

There were many conflicting stories told of the accident. Seven witnesses were examined by the coroner's jury and nearly all of them had a different version. Some of them said that the unfortunate man stepped from one track to another and directly in front of the train. Others said that he apparently did not realize the proximity of the train and did not hear the warnings.

The accident occurred near the steps that lead to the tracks from Fulton street. It is said that the point is an extremely dangerous one and that several men have been killed there in the past few years. Mrs. Pike is completely prostrated by the death of her husband.

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Dr. E. W. Fell of Elgin was in the city Monday to accompany his daughter, Miss Bessie Fell, to her home. Miss Fell has been a guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brady on Grove street.

B OYSTERS CLUB TO ORGANIZE AT MASS MEETING TONIGHT

Everything is ready for the organization meeting of the Boosters' club this evening. Seventy of the representative young men of Jacksonville have already applied for and have taken out memberships in the club, which has a mission in making the younger men of the city a power towards the city's good. A young man on the threshold of his business career by belonging to such an organization may work for the better government, better conditions surrounding business and industry and a better opportunity to become an active factor in the city's progress.

By creating and promoting an active interest in celebrations, festivals, etc.; by working for good roads and by taking up various works of detail, the Boosters' club will fill a big place in the work of the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce.

The meeting tonight at the Peacock Inn will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. A few prominent business men of the city have accepted invitations to make five minute talks on various subjects of interest to the young men, and as speaker of the evening, Mr. A. F. Sheldon of Chicago, will deliver an address on "Salesmanship and Business Building."

The meeting is open to every business man of Jacksonville and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

Remember Cafeteria supper Grace Church Tuesday from 5 to 8.

RECEIVED BOX OF ORANGES. Mrs. Charles Hopper is rejoicing over the receipt of a fine box of oranges from C. P. Marcy of Riverside, Calif. Mr. Marcy was a former resident of Jacksonville and was a partner of Mr. Hopper.

ASK FOR MOOSE CIGARS.

CENSORS HAVE KEEN EYES. A letter received yesterday by Percy Jenkinson from his father dated from Stanley Villa, Union Mills, Isle of Man, gives an idea of the very strict censorship plans followed. Mr. Jenkinson has been receiving a letter each week from his father without any reference to the war. In the last letter the writer inserted one line evidently referring to a Zeppelin raid, and the censor had with knife or scissors cut out the sentence. Otherwise the letter was intact. Certainly there must be a vast number of censors at work if every letter written is examined with such minuteness.

SMOKE MOOSE 5c CIGARS.

FUNERAL OF MRS. OTIS TAYLOR HELD AT WINCHESTER SUNDAY

Services in Charge of Rev. G. E. Prewitt, Pastor of Christian Church—Charles Miller and Family to Leave for Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Winchester, Ill., March 27.—The funeral of Mrs. Otis Taylor was held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Christian church, in charge of the pastor, the Rev. G. E. Prewitt. Music was furnished by the church choir.

Interment was made in Winchester cemetery and the bearers were Ora Carlton, James Carlton, Austin Little, Earl Halloway, Earl Smothers and Clarence Taylor.

Friends of Charles Mader will be surprised to learn that he has sold his barber shop here and expects to remove soon with his wife and son to Mt. Vernon, Ill., to reside. Mr. Mader felt compelled to get into out of door work and expects to purchase a small farm near Mt. Vernon and raise fine poultry. Mr. and Mrs. Mader will be greatly missed by Winchester people.

Sol Hains further went Saturday night to Chicago, called by the death of Mrs. Hains' father, Albert Sachs. The funeral was held in Chicago Sunday.

Daniel New is very ill at his home here and his condition Monday night was reported very grave. His daughter, Mrs. George Goodhead, is expected to arrive Tuesday from Beggs, Okla.

Maurice Murphy returned Monday to St. Louis after a visit with his uncle, P. T. Conlan.

Mrs. Samuel Berry returned Monday to Winchester after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Martin, of Hastings, Ia.

Rev. C. W. Casely has gone to Jacksonville to attend the spring meeting of the Jacksonville district at Brooklyn M. E. church.

NOTICE K. OF P. NO. 152. Work tonight in first, second and third ranks, a full attendance desired, visiting brothers invited. Supper at 6 p. m.

John Carl, C. C. Ray A. Hartman, K. of R. & S.

SOME MARCH STORMS.

The wretched weather of yesterday caused some citizens to recall some March storms in their day. One gentleman said that March 28th, 1876 witnessed one of the worst storms the county had ever seen. For several days railroads were blocked and great inconvenience followed. Men had to take picks and shovels and dig out some trains of the old J. S. E. line and trains all around were blocked.

About fifteen years ago, there was a March storm so severe that not a railroad train or a road vehicle entered or left this city. It was a blockade of a day or more that was severe enough. Wires were down and newspaper men were up against it in good shape. One editor printed a few chapters of the Bible remarking that he guessed they would be about as new as anything he could offer most of his readers.

The winter of 1880, it was memorable for snow and that year as late as April railroads in this state were seriously troubled with snow.

Remember Cafeteria supper Grace Church Tuesday from 5 to 8.

SPECIAL SERVICES

AT WESTMINSTER. Rev. E. B. Landes, pastor of Westminster church, announced Sunday that special services will be held at the church Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights this week. All of these services are preparatory to the communion service next Sunday morning. There will be special music each evening and the pastor will make a brief address.

"The Strange Case of MARY PAGE"—Scott's Theater Today.

LEAVES HOSPITAL MONDAY. Harry M. Lewis, injured several weeks since on the C. B. & Q. railroad, left Monday for his home in Beardstown. He had been recovering from his injuries at Passavant hospital.

SMOKE MOOSE 5c CIGARS.

MEREDOSIA REBEKAHAS GIVE FAREWELL FOR DR. MINTOSH

Physician and Family Leave for New Home in Chambersburg—Mrs. Charles Bollyard Called to Versailles—Other Meredosia Notes.

Meredosia, Ill., Mar. 27.—A farewell reception was given Dr. J. H. McIntosh and family Friday evening by the Rebekahs at their hall, before the departure of the physician to Chambersburg. The evening was pleasantly spent in social conversation and music after which light refreshments were served. Many expressed their regrets to the doctor and family as to their departing from our community as their stay among us has been a pleasant one and they have won many warm friends. The family expects to leave Thursday for Chambersburg, where the doctor will practice medicine.

Called to Versailles. Mrs. Charles Bollyard was called to Versailles Monday by the death of her brother, James Halk, who died suddenly Sunday evening about 11 o'clock. Heart trouble is supposed to have been the cause. This is the fifth sudden death in the community of Versailles just recently.

Personal News Notes. W. J. Hale and daughter Vera, were Versailles visitors Saturday.

Miss Pearl Larson of Jacksonville visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lou Wegehoff. Mrs. Fred Cox of Mt. Sterling is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Schmitt in this city.

Prof. O. W. Gould, Misses Nina Roe, Mabel Coughlin and Gweneth Chenoweth attended teachers' institute in Jacksonville Saturday. Mrs. Henry Stuller and three children of Versailles spent the day in this city Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lou Yost.

Will Roegge and son Arthur and Roy Unland were among the many visitors from this place to Jacksonville Saturday.

Miss Freida Unland visited relatives in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Kerr who have been living at the LaGrange locks, moved their household goods to Springfield, where they will make their home.

Miss Thelma Brown of Versailles was in our city Saturday on her way home from a visit with Capt. Kerr and wife at the locks.

Dr. Fountain of Chapin was a professional visitor here Friday.

Mrs. Fred Deppie and daughter, Helen visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wackerle in Jacksonville Saturday, returning Sunday morning accompanied by the former's sister, Miss Nelle Ritscher who spent the day here.

James Galaway and Arthur Hinkens were business visitors in Jacksonville Monday.

Resumes Teaching Duties.

Miss Ina Gibson, assistant principal in our high school returned from Franklin Monday to resume her work here after a week's absence on account of the death of her grandfather.

W. T. Hedenberg, Sr., editor of the Versailles Sentinel was a business visitor in our city Saturday.

Mrs. Omer Doyle and daughters, Helen and June returned Sunday from a visit in Jacksonville and Bluffs.

Miss Gladys Sargent is visiting friends in Jacksonville this week.

Fred Muntman, who is teaching school near Chambersburg, visited home folks here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hughett had for their guests Saturday and Sunday, the former's mother and brother Harold of Carthage.

Mrs. Will Schmitt and daughter, Madeline were the guests of relatives in Mt. Sterling Saturday.

Fred and Edna Hall of Jacksonville visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hall.

Mrs. John Moultray has been confined to her home the past week with illness.

Mrs. Gertrude Starks was a business visitor in Jacksonville Monday.

Mrs. Mary Brockhouse has been on the sick list the past week.

Dr. A. F. Streuter of Arenzville was a professional visitor in our city Sunday. He was accompanied by Miss Frances James who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles James while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harney Gaskill and baby of Versailles were in this city Monday on their way to visit the family of John Wright on the Island.

Revival at Methodist Church. The revival at the Methodist church in charge of Evangelist W. L. Selby, assisted by the pastor, Rev. T. L. Hancock began Sunday with a large attendance. A large chorus choir has been organized and will be assisted in the music by the orchestra of the church. The afternoon meetings will begin Wednesday of this week.

Rev. T. L. Hancock and Evangelist W. L. Selby attended the ministerial meeting in Jacksonville on Tuesday.

Mrs. Anne Knowlen is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. Clara Patterson of South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomason visited from Saturday until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Post in Jacksonville.

Brac Follis shipped his household goods to New Berlin Monday, where he and his family will reside on a farm near that place.

ASK FOR MOOSE CIGARS.

Peter Bacopulos, formerly of this city and now proprietor of a candy establishment in Decatur, was in the city Sunday and yesterday, called by the funeral of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Genetos.

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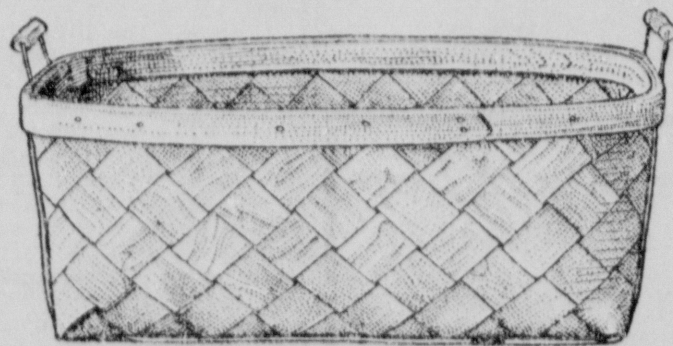
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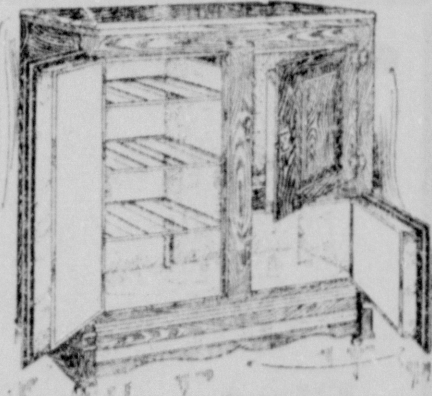
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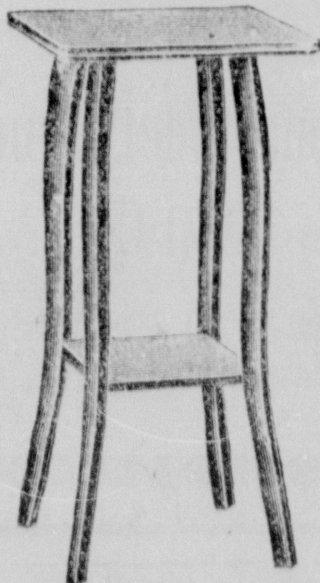


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